

# Annual Report

**OF THE TOWN OF**

# **Loudon**

**NEW HAMPSHIRE**



**For the Year Ending December 31, 1956**



# ANNUAL REPORT

of the

## Town of Loudon

of the

Selectmen, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Tax Collector  
Highway Agent, School Board, Librarian,  
Superintendent of Schools, Library  
Trustees, Auditors, Trustees of  
Trust Funds

For the Year Ending

DECEMBER 31, 1956

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## TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1956

## MODERATOR

Everett O. Dow

## SELECTMEN

## TREASURER

Alice M. Perkins

## CLERK

Jessie M. Cate

## HIGHWAY AGENT

S. Lester Tibbetts

## COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Jean F. Hardy

## BOARD OF EDUCATION

## HEALTH OFFICER

Ruth B. Whitcomb, R.N.

## CONSTABLE

Norman R. Bowles

## TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Benjamin E. Smith ~~and~~ John Q. Cate Everett O. Dow

## FIRE CHIEF

J. Westly Robinson

## DEPUTY CHIEF

George B. Brown

## TRUSTEES OF MAXFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

|                  |                        |
|------------------|------------------------|
| Mary E. Maxfield | Cornelius A. Brinkmann |
|                  | Martha J. Hall         |

## LIBRARIAN

Marguerite E. Buzzell

## AUDITORS

|                        |                 |
|------------------------|-----------------|
| Cornelius A. Brinkmann | Gerald B. Smith |
|------------------------|-----------------|

## SUPERVISORS

|              |                   |
|--------------|-------------------|
| John O. Cate | Warren M. Jenkins |
|              | M. Inez Lovering  |

## REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GENERAL COURT

Everett K. Jenkins

## FIRE WARDENS

|                                     |                               |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| J. Westly Robinson, <i>Warden</i>   | Tel. STory 3-6121 (Fire Tel.) |
| Benjamin E. Smith, <i>Deputy</i>    | Tel. GEneral 5-6686           |
| Gerald B. Smith, <i>Deputy</i>      | Tel. STory 3-6865             |
| George B. Brown, <i>Deputy</i>      | Tel. SWift 8-5840             |
| S. Lester Tibbets, <i>Deputy</i>    | Tel. Belmont 3765             |
| Beatrice L. Robinson, <i>Deputy</i> | Tel. STory 3-6121 (Fire Tel.) |
| Warren M. Jenkins, <i>Deputy</i>    | Tel. SWift 8-5647             |

## CIVIL DEFENSE CHAIRMAN

J. Westly Robinson

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Loudon in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Loudon on Tuesday, the twelfth day of March, next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see if the Town will vote to allow 2% discount on all property taxes paid within thirty days after presentation of tax bill.
4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and the Town Treasurer to borrow a sum or sums of money not to exceed in the aggregate more than 75% of the anticipated amount to be collected in taxes for the current municipal year, and to issue in the name and on the credit of the Town of Loudon negotiable notes therefor, said notes to be paid in 1957 from taxes collected during the current municipal year.
5. To see if the Town will vote to replace the 1935 pumper with a new combination which meets the specifications as drawn up by the Fire Chief and a committee and approved by the Selectmen.
6. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00) to purchase this combination. Three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) of this amount to be

paid in 1957 and the balance of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) to be carried by a note to be paid in 1958.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding \$100.00 to the Merrimack Valley Region Association for the purpose of publicizing and promoting the natural advantages and resources of the Town in cooperation with the 37 other Communities in this Region, or act in relation thereto. (By Request)

8. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to set up a dump area for the Town of Loudon; such an area to meet the requirement of the State Board of Health and the Forestry and Recreation Department under Chapter 165 of the Revised Laws.

9. To see if the Town will consider the salary of the Town Treasurer and fix the amount of same. (By Request)

Salary 1951—\$100.00      Salary 1956—\$175.00

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise four hundred dollars (\$400.00) for continuing Blister Rust Control in Loudon during 1957.

11. To see if the Town will vote to close, subject to gates and bars, the road from, so-called, Twin Bridges to Route No. 106.

12. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the zoning and building ordinance presented by the Zoning and Building Committee.

13. To see if the Town will vote to close the road, subject to gates and bars, from the Upper City School House to the road leading to Jennie Sanborn's and the Merrill Farm.

14. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to confer with the State Highway Department to determine the size and style of bridge necessary to replace the Pearl Bridge.

15. To see if the Town will vote to bond the town in the amount of and not in excess of Ten Thousand dollars

(\$10,000.00) for the building of a new bridge at the Pearl Bridge location. Any money spent from such voted issue to be the Town's share of the entire cost of this particular bridge and the approaches to it and shall not be used for work done at any other location.

(Bonds or notes require two-thirds vote of all present and voting. Tax anticipation notes a vote of a majority present and voting.)

16. As the term of office of the Loudon Planning Board members has expired, action by the Town should be taken at this meeting.

17. To see if the Town will vote to replace 45 rolls of worn out snow fence and appropriate \$750.00 for new fence.

18. To see if the Town will vote to close, subject to gates and bars, the road from Philip Pister's to Route No. 129.

19. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate six hundred sixty-five dollars (\$665.00) for the Concord Hospital deficit. This request is made by the Board of Trustees based on Loudon having 1.6% of all patients treated in 1956. (By Request)

20. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this fifteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-seven.

HAROLD W. HILL,  
EVERETT K. JENKINS,  
HAROLD F. PRESBY,  
*Selectmen of Loudon*

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

HAROLD W. HILL,  
EVERETT K. JENKINS,  
HAROLD F. PRESBY,  
*Selectmen of Loudon*

**BUDGET OF THE**  
**Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures of the**  
**Compared**  
**Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures**

| Sources of Revenue   | Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1956 | Actual Revenue Previous Year 1956 | Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1957 |
|--|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <i>From State:</i>   |                                      |                                   |                                     |
| Interest and Dividends Tax .....                             | \$822.40                             | \$1,109.75                        | \$920.00                            |
| Railroad Tax .....   | 6.25                                 | .....                             | 5.00                                |
| Savings Bank Tax .....                                       | 208.30                               | .....                             | .....                               |
| Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands             | 14.00                                | 4.18                              | 4.00                                |
| Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber ..... | 985.49                               | 1,067.70                          | 1,000.00                            |
| For Fighting Forest Fires .....                              | 112.13                               | 355.43                            | 200.00                              |
| Reimbursement a/c Blister Rust .....                         | 5.00                                 | 5.40                              | .....                               |
| <i>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</i>                      |                                      |                                   |                                     |
| Dog Licenses .....   | 530.00                               | 532.00                            | 525.00                              |
| Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees .....             | 75.00                                | 83.00                             | 10.00                               |
| Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court .....                    | 378.32                               | 955.32                            | 250.00                              |
| Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings .....                  | .....                                | 80.00                             | 25.00                               |
| Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits .....                | 882.00                               | 912.22                            | 900.00                              |
| <i>Income of Departments:</i>                                |                                      |                                   |                                     |
| Highway, including rental of equipment .....                 | 1,000.00                             | 1,935.65                          | 1,000.00                            |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees .....                              | 4,500.00                             | 5,042.66                          | 5,000.00                            |
| Sale of Town Property .....                                  | .....                                | 25.00                             | .....                               |
| <i>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</i>           |                                      |                                   |                                     |
| Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2 .....                              | 832.00                               | 640.00                            | 620.00                              |
| National Bank Stock Taxes .....                              | 9.80                                 | 9.80                              | 9.80                                |
| Total Revenues from All Sources Except Property Taxes .....  | \$10,360.69                          | \$12,758.11                       | \$10,468.80                         |

\*Total estimated "Revenues from All sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

## TOWN OF LOUDON

Ensuing Year January 1, 1957 to December 31, 1957  
 with  
 of the Previous Year January 1, 1956 to December 31, 1956

| Purposes of Expenditures                           | Appropriations Previous Year 1956 | Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1956 | Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1957 |
|--|-----------------------------------|--|--|
| <i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>               |                                   |  |  |
| <i>General Government:</i>                         |                                   |  |  |
| Printing Town Reports .....                        | \$2,200.00                        | \$409.29                               |  |
| Town Officers' Salaries .....                      | 2,120.00                          | 2,160.00                               | \$2,200.00                               |
| Town Officers' Expenses .....                      | 1,900.00                          | 1,791.98                               | 2,250.00                                 |
| Election and Registration Expenses .....           | 550.00                            | 420.29                                 | 250.00                                   |
| Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs. ....      | 1,300.00                          | 1,258.27                               | 800.00                                   |
| <i>Protection of Persons and Property:</i>         |                                   |  |  |
| Police Department .....                            | 75.00                             | 190.11                                 | 200.00                                   |
| Fire Department .....                              | 2,120.00                          | 1,933.14                               | 2,520.00                                 |
| Moth Exterm.—Blister Rust & Care of Trees .....    | 400.00                            | 400.00                                 | 400.00                                   |
| Insurance .....                                    | 1,000.00                          | 779.77                                 | 860.00                                   |
| Civil Defense .....                                | 100.00                            | 25.70                                  | 100.00                                   |
| <i>Health:</i>                                     |                                   |  |  |
| Health Department, including hospitals .....       | 20.00                             | 23.34                                  | 25.00                                    |
| Vital Statistics .....                             | 15.00                             | 13.72                                  | 15.00                                    |
| Town Dump and Garbage Removal .....                | 200.00                            | 150.00                                 | 150.00                                   |
| <i>Highways and Bridges:</i>                       |                                   |  |  |
| Green Bridge .....                                 |                                   | 3,974.99                               | 3,974.99                                 |
| Town Maintenance—Summer .....                      | 8,500.00                          | 12,276.75                              | 8,500.00                                 |
| Town Maintenance—Winter .....                      | 5,000.00                          | 4,300.00                               | 5,000.00                                 |
| Street Lighting .....                              | 475.00                            | 465.12                                 | 475.00                                   |
| General Expenses of Highway Department .....       | 5,000.00                          | 5,865.63                               | 5,000.00                                 |
| Town Road Aid .....                                | 1,118.32                          | 1,118.32                               | 1,033.83                                 |
| <i>Public Welfare:</i>                             |                                   |  |  |
| Town Poor .....                                    | 1,000.00                          | 837.69                                 | 800.00                                   |
| Old Age Assistance .....                           | 1,950.00                          | 1,959.69                               | 1,900.00                                 |
| <i>Patriotic Purposes:</i>                         |                                   |  |  |
| Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations .....      | 50.00                             | 35.20                                  | 50.00                                    |
| Aid to Soldiers and Their Families .....           |                                   | 60.39                                  | .....                                    |
| <i>Public Service Enterprises:</i>                 |                                   |  |  |
| Cemeteries .....                                   | 400.00                            | 386.95                                 | 400.00                                   |
| <i>Unclassified:</i>                               |                                   |  |  |
| Damages and Legal Expenses, incl. Dog Damage ..... | 100.00                            | 44.00                                  | 50.00                                    |
| Employees' Retirement and Social Security .....    | 275.00                            | 222.01                                 | 235.00                                   |
| <i>Interest:</i>                                   |                                   |  |  |
| On Long Term Notes .....                           | 155.00                            | 107.93                                 | 110.00                                   |
| On Principal of Trust Funds Used by Town .....     | 120.00                            | 120.00                                 | 100.00                                   |
| <i>Highways and Bridges:</i>                       |                                   |  |  |
| Sidewalk Construction .....                        |                                   | 130.65                                 | .....                                    |
| New Equipment .....                                | 150.00                            | 150.00                                 | .....                                    |
| <i>Indebtedness:</i>                               |                                   |  |  |
| <i>Payment on Principal of Debt:</i>               |                                   |  |  |
| Long Term Notes .....                              | 4,450.00                          | 4,250.00                               | 2,500.00                                 |
| <i>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:</i>   |                                   |  |  |
| Canterbury Tax .....                               | 3.00                              | 2.70                                   | 3.00                                     |
| County Taxes .....                                 | 4,000.00                          | 3,402.20                               | 3,500.00                                 |
| School Taxes .....                                 | 75,463.67                         | 46,596.66                              | 57,774.06                                |
| Total Expenditures .....                           | \$118,089.99                      | \$95,862.40                            | \$101,175.88                             |
| Owe to Schools — June 30 .....                     |                                   | 29,914.74                              |  |
|  |                                   | \$125,777.23                           |  |

## BALANCE SHEET

| Assets                              | Liabilities   |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| <i>Cash</i>                         | <i>Accounts Owed by the Town:</i>   |
| In hands of treasurer .....         | Water Holes .....   |
|                                     | \$168.00  |
| <i>Accounts Due to the Town—</i>    |   |
| Due from State:                     | <i>Due to State:</i>  |
| Reimbursement Forest Conservation . | State Head Taxes—1956 (Uncollected \$750.00) Collected — not remitted to State Treas. \$107.35) ..... |
| R. R. Tax \$1.71 — Savings Bank Tax | 750.00  |
| \$235.89 .....                      |   |
| Other bills due Town:               | <i>Due to School Districts:</i>   |
| Ella J. DeRoche .....               | Balance of Appropriation .....  |
| Donald Braley — No Funds Check ..   | 29,914.74   |
|                                     |   |
|                                     | <i>Long Term Notes Outstanding:</i>   |
|                                     | Plow and Wing .....   |
|                                     | 500.00  |
|                                     | Bridge Construction .....   |
|                                     | 1,000.00  |
|                                     | <i>Trust Funds, Amount of Principal Used by Town:</i>   |
|                                     | Maxfield Trust Fund .....   |
|                                     | 3,000.00  |
| <i>Unredeemed Taxes:</i>            |   |
| Levy of 1955 .....                  | Total Liabilities .....   |
| Levy of 1954 .....                  | \$35,382.74   |
| Previous Years .....                | Excess of assets over liabilities .....   |
| 124.23                              | 3,341.68  |
|                                     |   |
| <i>Uncollected Taxes:</i>           |   |
| Levy of 1956 .....                  | Grand Total .....   |
| Levy of 1955 .....                  | \$38,674.42   |
| 57.20                               |   |
| 750.00                              |   |
| 10.00                               |   |
|                                     |   |
| Total Assets .....                  |   |

# UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION

## Receipts

### *Current Revenue:*

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| <i>From Local Taxes:</i> (Collected and remitted to Treasurer) |             |
| Property Taxes — Current Year — 1956                           | \$55,078.07 |
| Poll Taxes — Current Year — Regular at \$2 — 1956              | 640.00      |
| National Bank Stock Taxes — 1956                               | 9.80        |
| Yield Taxes — 1956   | 124.30      |
| State Head Taxes at \$5 — 1956                                 | 1,975.00    |
|  | —————       |
| Property Taxes and Yield Taxes — Previous Years                | \$57,827.17 |
| Poll Taxes — Previous Years — Regular at \$2                   | 26,053.43   |
| State Head Taxes at \$5 — Previous Years                       | 292.00      |
| Interest received on Taxes                                     | 930.00      |
| Penalties on State Head Taxes                                  | 860.93      |
| Tax Sales redeemed   | 90.00       |
|  | 1,879.41    |

### *From State:*

|                                 |       |
|---------------------------------|-------|
| For Town Road Aid               | ..... |
| For Class V Highway maintenance | ..... |
| Interest and dividends tax      | ..... |

## Payments

### *Current Maintenance Expenses:*

|   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| <i>General Government:</i>                        |                  |
| Town officers' salaries                           | ..... \$2,130.10 |
| Town officers' expenses                           | ..... 2,201.27   |
| Election and registration expenses                | ..... 420.29     |
| Expenses town hall and other town buildings       | ..... 1,258.27   |
|   | .....            |
| <i>Protection of Persons and Property:</i>        |                  |
| Police department                                 | ..... 190.11     |
| Bicycles  | ..... 73.14      |
| Fire department, including forest fires           | ..... 2,701.70   |
| Moth extermination—Blister Rust and Care of Trees | ..... 400.00     |
| Damage by dogs                                    | ..... 44.00      |
| Insurance   | ..... 779.77     |
| Civil Defense                                     | ..... 25.70      |
|   | .....            |
| <i>Health:</i>                                    |                  |
| Health department, including hospitals            | ..... 23.34      |
| Vital statistics                                  | ..... 13.72      |
| Town dumps and garbage removal                    | ..... 150.00     |
|   | .....            |
| <i>Highways and Bridges:</i>                      |                  |
| Town Road Aid                                     | ..... 7,807.12   |
| Town Maintenance (Summer \$12,276.75)             | .....            |
| (Winter \$4,300.00)                               | ..... 16,576.75  |
| Street lighting                                   | ..... 465.12     |

## UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION—Continued

| Receipts   | Payments   |
|--|--|
| Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands .....       | 4.18 General Expenses of Highway Department .....                          |
| Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber ..... | 1,067.70 Public Welfare: Old age assistance .....                          |
| Fighting forest fires and training .....                     | 355.43 Town poor .....   |
| <i>From Local Sources, Except Taxes:</i>                     |  |
| Dog licenses .....   | 532.00 Memorial Day and Veteran's Associations .....                       |
| Business licenses, permits and filing fees .....             | 83.00 Aid to soldiers and their families .....                             |
| Fines and forfeits, municipal court .....                    | 955.32 Public Service Enterprises: Cemeteries, including hearse hire ..... |
| Rent of town property .....                                  | 80.00  |
| Interest received on deposits .....                          | 51.29  |
| Income from departments .....                                | 1,985.65 Unclassified: Taxes bought by town .....                          |
| Registration of motor vehicles, 1955 Permits .....           | 95.58 Discounts, Abatements and Refunds .....                              |
| Registration of motor vehicles, 1956 Permits .....           | 4,947.08 Employees' Retirement and Social Security .....                   |
| Registration of motor vehicles, 1957 Permits .....           | 32.06  |
|  | <i>Interest:</i> \$108,986.12  |
| <i>Receipts Other than Current Revenue:</i>                  |  |
| Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year .....   | \$34,444.67  |
|  | Paid on long term notes .....  |
|  | Paid on principal of trust funds used by town .....                        |
|  | 120.00   |
|  | <i>Total Interest Payments</i> .....                                       |
|  | 227.93   |

| <i>Outlay for New Construction, Equipment and Permanent Improvements:</i>  |                     |
|--|---------------------|
| Highways and Bridges—Town construction                                     | \$3,974.99          |
| Sidewalk construction  | 130.65              |
| New equipment — Fire   | 150.00              |
| <b>Total Outlay Payments</b>   | <b>4,255.64</b>     |
| <i>Indebtedness:</i>   |                     |
| Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes                       | \$35,000.00         |
| Payments on long term notes  | 3,250.00            |
| Payments to trustees of trust funds  | 1,000.00            |
| <b>Total Indebtedness Payments</b>   | <b>39,250.00</b>    |
| <i>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:</i>                           |                     |
| State Head Taxes paid State Treas., 1956                                   | \$3,402.20          |
| Taxes paid to County   | 2,827.65            |
| Payments to Precincts, Canterbury  | 2.70                |
| Payments to School Districts (1955 Tax \$25,096.66) (1956 Tax \$21,500.00) | 46,596.66           |
| <b>Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions</b>                      | <b>50,001.56</b>    |
| Total Payments for all Purposes  | \$144,008.39        |
| Cash on hand December 31, 1956   | 7,694.79            |
| <b>Grand Total</b>   | <b>\$151,703.18</b> |
| Braley No Fund Check   | 42.00               |
|  | \$151,745.18        |

### Schedule of Town Property

|   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| Town Hall, Lands and Buildings .....                            | \$7,500.00       |
| Furniture and Equipment .....                                   | 600.00           |
| Libraries, Lands and Buildings .....                            | 6,500.00         |
| Furniture and Equipment .....                                   | 1,500.00         |
| Police Department, Equipment .....                              | 100.00           |
| Fire Department, Lands and Buildings .....                      | 7,500.00         |
| Equipment .....   | 6,000.00         |
| Highway Department, Lands and Buildings .....                   | 4,000.00         |
| Equipment .....   | 10,000.00        |
| Materials and Supplies .....                                    | 250.00           |
| Schools, Lands and Buildings .....                              | 100,000.00       |
| Equipment .....   | 5,000.00         |
| All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds: |                  |
| 78 Acres .....  | 235.00           |
| 2 Acres .....   | 6.00             |
| 10 Acres .....  | 30.00            |
| 1 House and 6 Acres .....                                       | 500.00           |
| <br>Total .....   | <br>\$149,721.00 |

### Summary of Inventory

|                                  |                    |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|
| Polls, 445                       |                    |
| Horses, 29 .....                 | \$1,450.00         |
| Cows, 656 .....                  | 46,090.00          |
| Oxen & Neat Stock, 176 .....     | 9,470.00           |
| Sheep & Goats, 38 .....          | 570.00             |
| Fowls, 20,988 .....              | 13,713.00          |
| Portable Mills, 3 .....          | 4,000.00           |
| Wood & Lumber .....              | 12,682.00          |
| Gasoline Pumps & Tanks, 10 ..... | 1,250.00           |
| Stock in Trade .....             | 16,508.00          |
| Electric Plants .....            | 104,575.00         |
| Fur Bearing Animals, 27 .....    | 420.00             |
| Real Estate .....                | 1,353,707.00       |
| <br>Total .....                  | <br>\$1,564,435.00 |
| Less Soldiers' Exemptions .....  | 52,975.00          |
| <br>Total .....                  | <br>\$1,511,460.00 |

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

## Auto Permits

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Received from Dec. 31, 1955 to Dec. 31, 1956 ..... | \$5,074.72 |
| 1955 .....   | \$95.58    |
| 1956 .....   | 4,947.08   |
| 1957 .....   | 32.06      |
|  | <hr/>      |
| Paid to Treasurer .....                            | \$5,074.72 |

## Dogs

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| Received from Dec. 31, 1955 to Dec. 31, 1956 ..... | \$573.00 |
| Paid fees .....                                    | 41.00    |
|  | <hr/>    |
| Paid to Treasurer .....                            | \$532.00 |

## Beano

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| Licenses received and paid to Treasurer ..... | \$40.00 |
|---|---------|

## Filing Fees

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| 1956 Filing fees received and paid to Treasurer ..... | \$5.00     |
| Total Remittances to Treasurer .....                  | \$5,651.72 |
| Auto .....  | \$5,074.72 |
| Dogs .....  | 532.00     |
| Beano .....   | 40.00      |
| Filing fees .....                                     | 5.00       |
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JESSIE M. CATE,  
*Town Clerk*

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes  
Levy of 1956**

|  | <i>Dr.</i>  |
|--|-------------|
| <i>Taxes Committed to Collector:</i>             |             |
| Property Taxes .....                             | \$82,317.36 |
| Poll Taxes .....                                 | 892.00      |
| National Bank Stock Taxes ..                     | 9.08        |
|  | <hr/>       |
| Total Warrant .....                              | \$83,218.44 |
| <i>Yield Taxes</i> .....                         | 124.30      |
| <i>Added Taxes</i>                               |             |
| Property Taxes (\$57.33 & .92) .....             | 58.25       |
| Poll Taxes .....                                 | 10.00       |
| Interest Collected .....                         | 3.19        |
|  | <hr/>       |
| Total Debits .....                               | \$83,414.18 |
|  | <hr/>       |
|  | <i>Cr.</i>  |
| <i>Remittances to Treasurer</i>                  |             |
| Property Taxes .....                             | \$55,078.07 |
| Poll Taxes .....                                 | 640.00      |
| National Bank Stock Taxes .....                  | 9.80        |
| Yield Taxes .....                                | 124.30      |
| Interest Collected .....                         | 3.19        |
|  | <hr/>       |
| Discount Allowed .....                           | 617.49      |
| Abatements .....                                 | 508.98      |
| <i>Uncollected Taxes as Per Collector's List</i> |             |
| Property .....                                   | 26,180.35   |
| Poll Taxes .....                                 | 252.00      |
|  | <hr/>       |
| Total Credits .....                              | \$83,414.18 |
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**SUMMARY OF WARRANT  
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes  
Levy of 1955**

*Dr.**Uncollected Taxes — As of Jan. 1, 1956:*

|                      |             |
|----------------------|-------------|
| Property Taxes ..... | \$24,505.59 |
| Poll Taxes .....     | 292.00      |
| Yield Taxes .....    | 1,953.88    |
|                      | —————       |
|                      | \$26,751.47 |
| Property Added ..... | 18.20       |
| Polls Added .....    | 20.00       |
| Costs .....          | 150.10      |

*Interest Collected During Fiscal Year*

|                                |        |
|--------------------------------|--------|
| (Ended Dec. 31, 1956) .....    | 707.64 |
| Overpayment on Prop. Tax ..... | .07    |
|                                | —————  |

|                           |             |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Total Debits</i> ..... | \$27,647.48 |
|                           | —————       |

*Cr.**Remittances to Treasurer During Fiscal Year*

|                            |             |
|----------------------------|-------------|
| (Year Ended Dec. 31, 1956) |             |
| Property Taxes .....       | \$24,380.86 |
| Poll Taxes .....           | 288.00      |
| Interest Collected .....   | 707.64      |
| Yield Taxes .....          | 1,598.59    |
| Costs .....                | 150.10      |

|  |        |
|--|--------|
| <i>Abatements Made During Year</i> ..... | 101.80 |
|--|--------|

*Uncollected Taxes as Per Collector's List*

|                      |        |
|----------------------|--------|
| Property Taxes ..... | 57.20  |
| Poll Taxes .....     | 8.00   |
| Yield Taxes .....    | 355.29 |
|                      | —————  |

|                            |             |
|----------------------------|-------------|
| <i>Total Credits</i> ..... | \$27,647.48 |
|                            | —————       |

**SUMMARY OF WARRANT**  
**State Head Tax**  
**Levy of 1956**

*Dr.**State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:*

|                                  |            |
|----------------------------------|------------|
| Original Warrant .....           | \$2,720.00 |
| Added Taxes .....                | 30.00      |
|                                  | _____      |
| <i>Total Commitment</i> .....    | \$2,750.00 |
| <i>Penalties Collected</i> ..... | 3.50       |
|                                  | _____      |
| <i>Total Debits</i> .....        | \$2,753.50 |
|                                  | =====      |

*Cr.**Remittances to Treasurer*

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Head Taxes .....                                | \$1,975.00 |
| Penalties .....                                 | 3.50       |
|   | _____      |
|   | \$1,978.50 |
| <i>Abatements</i> .....                         | 25.00      |
| <i>Uncollected Head Taxes as Per List</i> ..... | 750.00     |
|   | _____      |
| <i>Total Credits</i> .....                      | \$2,753.50 |
|   | =====      |

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

### State Head Tax

#### Levy of 1955

*Dr.*

|   |                |
|---|----------------|
| <i>Uncollected Taxes — as of January 1 1956</i> ..... | \$910.00       |
| <i>Added Taxes During 1956</i> .....                  | 60.00          |
| <i>Penalties Collected During 1956</i> .....          | 86.00          |
| <br><i>Total Debits</i> .....                         | <br>\$1,056.00 |

*Cr.*

|   |                |
|---|----------------|
| <i>Remittances to Treasurer During 1956</i>                 |                |
| Head Taxes .....  | \$920.00       |
| Penalties .....   | 86.00          |
|   | \$1,006.00     |
| <i>Abatements During 1956</i> .....                         | 40.00          |
| <i>Uncollected Head Taxes as Per Collector's List</i> ..... | 10.00          |
| <br><i>Total Credits</i> .....                              | <br>\$1,056.00 |

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

## Head &amp; Poll Tax

## Levy of 1954

*Dr.**Uncollected Taxes:*

|                           |                |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| Head Taxes .....          | \$10.00        |
| Penalties .....           | .50            |
| Poll Taxes .....          | 4.00           |
| <i>Total Debits</i> ..... | <i>\$14.50</i> |

*Cr.**Remittances to Treasurer*

|                            |                |
|----------------------------|----------------|
| Head Taxes .....           | \$10.00        |
| Penalties .....            | .50            |
| Poll Taxes .....           | 4.00           |
| <i>Total Credits</i> ..... | <i>\$14.50</i> |

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

## Yield Tax

## Levy of 1954

*Dr.**Uncollected Taxes*

|                           |                |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| Yield Taxes .....         | \$48.48        |
| Interest Collected .....  | 1.67           |
| <i>Total Debits</i> ..... | <i>\$50.15</i> |

*Cr.**Remittances to Treasurer During 1956*

|                            |                |
|----------------------------|----------------|
| Yield Taxes .....          | \$48.48        |
| Interest Collected .....   | 1.67           |
| <i>Total Credits</i> ..... | <i>\$50.15</i> |

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT

## Yield Tax

## Levy of 1952

*Dr.**Uncollected Taxes*

|                           |                |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| Yield Taxes .....         | \$18.79        |
| Interest Collected .....  | 5.04           |
| <i>Total Debits</i> ..... | <i>\$23.83</i> |

*Cr.**Remittances to Treasurer During 1956*

|                            |                |
|----------------------------|----------------|
| Yield Taxes .....          | \$18.79        |
| Interest Collected .....   | 5.04           |
| <i>Total Credits</i> ..... | <i>\$23.83</i> |

## SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

As of Dec. 31, 1956

|  | <i>Dr.</i>     | <i>Tax Sale on Account of Levies of</i> |              |              |
|--|----------------|---|--------------|--------------|
|  | 1955           | 1954                                    | 1953         | Prev. Yrs.   |
| Taxes sold to Town during<br>fiscal year ..... | \$2,023.66     |   |              |              |
| Balance of unredeemed taxes                    |                | \$1,701.83                              | \$535.83     | \$224.03     |
| Interest and costs of sale ...                 | 187.02         |   |              |              |
| Overpayment of sale .....                      | .50            |   |              |              |
| Interest collected .....                       | 4.27           | 47.02                                   | 49.85        |              |
| Costs of redemption .....                      | 2.00           | 1.50                                    | .75          |              |
| <br>Total Debits .....                         | <br>\$2,217.45 | <br>\$1,750.35                          | <br>\$586.43 | <br>\$224.03 |
| <i>Cr.</i>                                     |                |   |              |              |
| Remittances to Treasurer<br>during year .....  | \$661.57       | \$755.14                                | \$462.20     |              |
| Overpayment of sale .....                      | .50            |   |              |              |
| Deeded to Town .....                           |                | 18.12                                   |              |              |
| Unredeemed taxes at close of<br>year .....     | 1,555.38       | 977.09                                  | 124.23       |              |
| <br>\$2,217.45                                 | <br>\$1,750.35 | <br>\$586.43                            |              |              |

## TREASURER'S REPORT

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Balance on hand, December 31, 1955 ..... | \$7,771.20 |
|--|------------|

*Received from State Treasurer*

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| Gas Money .....                                    | 3,015.34    |
| T. R. A. .....                                     | 6,788.80    |
| Refund Civilian Defense Fire Alarm System .....    | 193.38      |
| Reimbursement Head Tax, 1955 .....                 | 14.41       |
| Refund Head Tax .....                              | 11.50       |
| Refund Blister Rust .....                          | 5.40        |
| Interest and Dividend Tax .....                    | 1,109.75    |
| Warden's Training Meeting .....                    | 10.96       |
| Reimbursement Federal and State Forest Lands ..... | 4.18        |
| Forest Fire .....                                  | 13.75       |
| Fire Refund, George Irving .....                   | 330.72      |
| Loss of taxes public forest lands .....            | 1,067.70    |
|  | <hr/>       |
|  | \$12,565.89 |

## Received from

JESSIE M. CATE, *Clerk:*

|                             |            |
|-----------------------------|------------|
| Auto Permits for 1955 ..... | \$95.58    |
| Auto Permits for 1956 ..... | 4,947.08   |
| Auto Permits for 1957 ..... | 32.06      |
| Dog Licenses for 1956 ..... | 532.00     |
| Beano .....                 | 40.00      |
| Filing Fees .....           | 5.00       |
|                             | <hr/>      |
|                             | \$5,651.72 |

## Received from Various Sources

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| National State Capital Bank Loans .....       | \$34,444.67 |
| Judge Roger M. Perkins, Municipal Court ..... | 955.32      |
| Judge Roger M. Perkins, Bicycle Permits ..... | 25.00       |
| Town of Gilmanton, Winter Roads .....         | 242.00      |
| Town of Chichester, Pleasant Street Fire..    | 52.40       |
| Fire Department, Gas .....                    | 66.35       |
| Refund, Gas Toll Road .....                   | 219.25      |
| Internal Revenue, Tax Refund .....            | 6.15        |
| Harold W. Hill, Cement Pipe .....             | 18.00       |
| Pistol Permits .....                          | 8.00        |
| Rent, Ella J. DeRoche .....                   | 80.00       |
| Junk License, Roland G. Hoyt .....            | 5.00        |
| Eastern States Farmers' Exchange .....        | 3.93        |
| Crowley's Garage .....                        | 2.61        |

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| Refund Telephone, Betsey Ross Bread Co.  | .83         |
| Monarch Belt Type Pump etc.,             |             |
| Anton B. Nelson .....                    | 25.00       |
| S. Lester Tibbetts, Balance Road Account | 60.73       |
|  | _____       |
|  | \$36,215.24 |

## MONEY EARNED BY TOWN EQUIPMENT — \$1,556.90

*Truck — Grader — Loader*

|                              |          |
|------------------------------|----------|
| State of New Hampshire ..... | \$177.00 |
| Town of Canterbury .....     | 254.50   |
| Town of Boscawen .....       | 150.00   |
|                              | _____    |
|                              | \$581.50 |

## Fill:

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| J. Gordon Stailing .....        | \$10.00  |
| Arthur T. Anderson .....        | 5.00     |
| James Philbrick .....           | 5.00     |
| Clarence A. Richardson .....    | 5.00     |
|                                 | _____    |
| Bulldozing, Arnold Storrs ..... | \$25.00  |
| Gravel, Sand, etc.:             |          |
| State of New Hampshire .....    | \$8.40   |
| Homer F. LaBonte .....          | 12.00    |
| Harold F. Presby .....          | 12.00    |
| Norman J. Ashland .....         | 44.00    |
| Hiram P. Macintosh .....        | 4.00     |
| Paul Lesmerises .....           | 4.00     |
| John C. Marston .....           | 12.00    |
| Ralph A. Prescott .....         | 8.40     |
| William Marshall .....          | 4.00     |
| Benjamin E. Berry .....         | 175.00   |
| Ernest West .....               | 12.00    |
| Ralph Maxfield, Jr. .....       | 16.00    |
| Admr. C. A. Brinkmann .....     | 16.00    |
| Ralph Marston .....             | 40.00    |
| George W. Waymouth .....        | 36.00    |
| George Simpson .....            | 20.00    |
| William C. Chesley .....        | 20.00    |
| Mrs. Arthur Shipley .....       | 4.00     |
| Clarence A. Richardson .....    | 4.00     |
| Ray Colletti .....              | 4.00     |
| Harold Cate .....               | 8.00     |
|                                 | _____    |
|                                 | \$463.80 |

## Driveways, etc.:

|                                       |            |
|---------------------------------------|------------|
| F. Harold Duffill .....               | \$25.00    |
| George Simpson .....                  | 20.00      |
| Roger M. Perkins .....                | 40.00      |
| Gerald Smith .....                    | 22.00      |
| Harold Cate .....                     | 20.00      |
| Hiram W. Cate .....                   | 13.60      |
| Everett K. Jenkins .....              | 40.00      |
| Guy Deering .....                     | 10.00      |
| Mrs. Alice Pearl .....                | 40.00      |
| Harold W. Hill .....                  | 18.00      |
| Harry Case .....                      | 16.00      |
| William J. Marshall .....             | 28.00      |
| Alice M. Perkins .....                | 16.00      |
|                                       | _____      |
|                                       | \$308.60   |
| Bulldozing, Arnold Storrs, 1955 ..... | \$114.00   |
| Gravel, Eugene Wyman, 1955 .....      | 24.00      |
| Driveway, Wallace Sleeper, 1955 ..... | 15.00      |
|                                       | _____      |
|                                       | \$153.00   |
|                                       | _____      |
|                                       | \$1,556.90 |

## Received from

JEAN F. HARDY, *Collector:*

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Redeemed tax for 1953 .....             | \$396.88 |
| Interest on redeemed tax, 1953 .....    | 49.85    |
| Costs on redeemed tax, 1953 .....       | 14.72    |
| Fee on redeemed tax, 1953 .....         | .75      |
|   | _____    |
| Redeemed tax for 1954 .....             | \$706.62 |
| Interest on redeemed tax, 1954 .....    | 47.02    |
| Fee on redeemed tax, 1954 .....         | 1.50     |
|   | _____    |
| Redeemed tax for 1955 .....             | \$655.30 |
| Interest on redeemed tax for 1955 ..... | 4.27     |
| Fee on redeemed tax, 1955 .....         | 2.00     |
|   | _____    |

## Taxes for 1954

|                                |             |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| \$2.00 Polls for 1954 .....    | \$4.00      |
| \$5.00 Head tax for 1954 ..... | 10.00       |
| Head tax penalties .....       | .50         |
|                                | _____       |
| Taxes for 1955 .....           | \$19,834.71 |
| Interest on 1955 tax .....     | 520.35      |
| \$2.00 Polls for 1955 .....    | 288.00      |
| \$5.00 Head Tax .....          | 920.00      |

|                             |             |             |
|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Head tax penalties .....    | 86.00       |             |
|                             |             | \$21,649.06 |
| Before Sale, 1955 .....     | \$2,668.59  |             |
| Tax Sale, 1955 .....        | 2,210.93    |             |
| Refund Tax Sale .....       | .25         |             |
|                             |             | \$4,879.77  |
| Taxes for 1956 .....        | \$55,087.87 |             |
| Interest on 1956 tax .....  | 3.19        |             |
| \$5.00 Head Tax .....       | 1,975.00    |             |
| \$2.00 Polls for 1956 ..... | 640.00      |             |
| Head Tax Penalties .....    | 3.50        |             |
|                             |             | \$57,709.56 |
| Total .....                 |             | \$86,131.80 |

## Yield Tax Report

|   |            |              |
|---|------------|--------------|
| Received from Jean F. Hardy, Tax Collector:           |            |              |
| Yield Taxes for 1952 .....                            | \$18.79    |              |
| Interest on Yield Taxes, 1952 .....                   | 5.04       |              |
|   |            | \$23.83      |
| Yield Taxes for 1954 .....                            | \$48.48    |              |
| Interest on Yield Taxes, 1954 .....                   | 1.67       |              |
|   |            | 50.15        |
| Yield Taxes for 1955 .....                            | \$1,598.59 |              |
| Interest on Yield Taxes, 1955 .....                   | 4.27       |              |
|   |            | 1,602.86     |
| Yield Taxes for 1956 .....                            | 124.30     |              |
| Interest on Yield Tax accrued in bank .....           | 51.29      |              |
|   |            |              |
| Total .....   |            | \$1,852.43   |
| Total Receipts .....                                  |            | \$151,745.18 |
| Total Orders .....                                    |            | 144,008.39   |
|   |            |              |
| Balance on hand, December 31, 1956 .....              |            | \$7,736.79   |
| Minus check of Donald Braley, No funds .....          |            | 42.00        |
|   |            |              |
| Deposit in Loan & Trust Savings Bank, Yield Tax ..... |            | \$7,694.79   |
|   |            | \$27.39      |

ALICE M. PERKINS,  
*Treasurer*  
 Town of Loudon, N. H.

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### General Government

#### Town Officers' Salaries

|   |            | S. S.    |            |
|---|------------|----------|------------|
| Harold W. Hill, Selectman & Overseer<br>of Poor ..... | \$485.00   | \$485.00 |            |
| Everett K. Jenkins, Selectman .....                   | 430.00     | \$8.60   | 421.40     |
| Harold F. Presby, Selectman .....                     | 400.00     | 8.00     | 392.00     |
| Jean F. Hardy, Collector .....                        | 240.00     | 4.80     | 235.20     |
| Alice M. Perkins, Treasurer .....                     | 175.00     | 3.50     | 171.50     |
| Jessie M. Cate, Clerk & Clerk of Board                | 250.00     | 5.00     | 245.00     |
| Roger M. Perkins, Justice Municipal<br>Court .....    | 180.00     | 180.00   |            |
|   | \$2,160.00 | \$29.90  | \$2,130.10 |

#### Retirement & Social Security

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| Director of Internal Revenue, Withholding .....          | \$346.01 |
| Treasurer, State of New Hampshire, Social Security ..... | 444.01   |
| N. H. Dept. of Public Welfare (OASI) Administration ..   | 4.54     |
|  | \$794.56 |

#### Town Officers' Expenses

|   |        |
|---|--------|
| C. A. Brinkmann, Postage for Tax Notices .....    | \$3.53 |
| Ass'n of N. H. Assessors, Dues for 1956 .....     | 3.00   |
| National State Capital Bank, Rent of Box .....    | 4.00   |
| U. S. Postmaster, Concord, Postage .....          | 41.00  |
| U. S. Auto & Truck Guide .....                    | 8.00   |
| Charles R. Hardy, Treas. Clerks' Assn. Dues ..... | 2.00   |
| Evans Printing Company, Town Reports .....        | 409.49 |
| Treasurer, State of New Hampshire .....           | 38.85  |
| Books .....                                       | \$3.75 |
| Prints for Maps .....                             | 35.10  |
|   | 29.31  |
| Spaulding Moss Co., Tracing Cloth .....           | 10.20  |
| Clayton L. Currier, Expenses Tax Map .....        | 158.50 |
| Walter J. Gilbert, Labor on Tax Map .....         | 247.50 |
| Concord Lumber Co., Plywood for Map .....         | 17.10  |
| Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., Office Supplies .....    | 116.87 |
| Sargent Bros., Tax Bills & Envelopes .....        | 25.30  |
| N. H. Tax Collectors' Assn., Dues .....           | 3.00   |

|   |          |            |
|---|----------|------------|
| Katherine A. Crowley, Register .....            |          | 30.21      |
| Recording Deeds .....                           | \$3.73   |            |
| Conveyances .....                               | 25.98    |            |
| List of Estates .....                           | .50      |            |
| Allen M. Freeman, Agency, Officers' Bonds ..... |          | 137.40     |
| Upton, Sanders & Upton, Making Deed .....       |          | 10.00      |
| Harold W. Hill, Tax & Road Meetings .....       |          | 12.00      |
| Harold F. Presby .....                          |          | 18.69      |
| Tax Meeting .....                               | \$6.00   |            |
| Telephone .....                                 | 12.69    |            |
| Everett K. Jenkins .....                        |          | 47.44      |
| Telephone .....                                 | \$8.69   |            |
| Tax & Road Meetings .....                       | 31.50    |            |
| Office Supplies .....                           | 7.25     |            |
| Alice M. Perkins .....                          |          | 8.44       |
| Collecting Bills \$4.80 —10 .....               | \$4.70   |            |
| Postage & Telephone .....                       | 3.74     |            |
| Jessie M. Cate .....                            |          | 452.86     |
| Auto Permits \$384.00 —07.68 .....              | \$376.32 |            |
| Inventory & Reports \$45.00 —\$0.90 .....       | 44.10    |            |
| Postage & Telephone .....                       | 15.78    |            |
| Clerks' Meeting .....                           | 6.00     |            |
| Making Head Tax List \$10.88 —                  |          |            |
| \$0.22 .....                                    | 10.66    |            |
| Jean F. Hardy .....                             |          | 366.58     |
| Tax Sale Fees \$94.90 —\$1.90 .....             | \$93.00  |            |
| Tax Sale Advertising .....                      | 55.20    |            |
| Tax Meetings .....                              | 26.70    |            |
| Postage, Telephone & Envelopes .....            | 57.76    |            |
| Collecting Head Taxes \$136.65 —                |          |            |
| \$2.73 .....                                    | 133.92   |            |
|   |          | \$2,201.27 |

### Election & Registration

|                                      |         |
|--------------------------------------|---------|
| Everett O. Dow, Moderator .....      | \$18.00 |
| Norman R. Bowles, Constable .....    | 18.00   |
| Emma J. Kenney, Ballot Clerk .....   | 18.00   |
| Emerson L. Moore, Ballot Clerk ..... | 12.00   |

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Hiram W. Cate, Ballot Clerk \$18.00 —\$24 .....     | 17.76    |
| Royal L. Page, Ballot Clerk .....                   | 3.00     |
| S. Lester Tibbets, Ballot Clerk \$9.00 —\$18 .....  | 8.82     |
| Margaret C. Anderson, Ballot Clerk .....            | 3.00     |
| Doris Deering, Ballot Clerk .....                   | 3.00     |
| Clayton L. Currier, Ballot Clerk .....              | 6.00     |
| John O. Cate, Supervisor \$96.00 —\$1.92 .....      | 94.08    |
| Alice M. Perkins, Supervisor \$96.00 —\$1.92 .....  | 94.08    |
| Warren M. Jenkins, Supervisor .....                 | 57.00    |
| Loudon Fire Auxiliary, Meals for Officers .....     | 14.30    |
| Town & Country Restaurant, Meals for Officers ..... | 22.80    |
| Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., Stamps & Pad .....         | 1.95     |
| M. Inez Lovering, Copying Check-list .....          | 6.00     |
| Evans Printing Company, Ballots .....               | 22.50    |
|   | —————    |
|   | \$420.29 |

### Town Hall & Other Buildings

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Tenney Coal Co., 5 Tons Nut Coal .....                            | \$133.75   |
| Public Service Company, Lights .....                              | 67.36      |
| David Tibbets, Repairing Chair .....                              | 3.00       |
| E. K. Jenkins, Hasp, Padlock, Bulbs, Paint .....                  | 21.09      |
| H. P. Maxfield, Inc., Plaster .....                               | 1.35       |
| Archie Page, Repairing Benches, Sweeping & Building<br>Fire ..... | 20.64      |
| Repairing Benches \$18.00 ..\$.36..      \$17.64                  |            |
| Sweeping & Building Fire .....                                    | 3.00       |
|   | —————      |
| Ellis Oakes Lumber Co., Milling & Shingles .....                  | 103.45     |
| K. C. Moore Lumber Co., Yarding & Sawing Lumber .....             | 130.32     |
| Leslie E. Roberts, Bulldozing .....                               | 187.00     |
| Fletcher's Milford Paint Works, Paint .....                       | 132.00     |
| Greenwood & Clark, Painting .....                                 | 272.70     |
| Concord Hardware, Inc., Linoleum for Table .....                  | 7.45       |
| Russell Richardson .....  | 36.03      |
| Cleaning Hall \$36.00 —\$.72 .....                                | \$35.28    |
| Cleaning Materials .....  | .75        |
|   | —————      |
| Leslie W. Hilliard, Shingling DeRoche House .....                 | 25.00      |
| Chichester Lumber Co., Milling .....                              | 10.00      |
| New England Telephone & Telegraph Company .....                   | 107.13     |
|   | —————      |
|   | \$1,258.27 |

## PROTECTION OF PERSONS &amp; PROPERTY

## Police Department

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Belmont Supply Company, Badges .....                          | \$6.31   |
| Pittsfield Printing Company, Pads of Summons & Warrants ..... | 16.70    |
| Norman R. Bowles, Services .....                              | 167.10   |
|   | _____    |
|   | \$190.11 |

## Fire Department

## Forest Fires

|                                       |          |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| J. W. Robinson, Warden .....          | \$514.22 |
| Witham Fire .....                     | \$27.95  |
| Training School .....                 | 21.92    |
| Irving Fire .....                     | 411.95   |
| Pleasant St., Chichester .....        | 52.40    |
|                                       | _____    |
| Town of Canterbury, Irving Fire ..... | 62.15    |
| Town of Belmont, Irving Fire .....    | 12.38    |
| Town of Bow, Irving Fire .....        | 19.00    |
| Town of Epsom, Irving Fire .....      | 50.50    |
| Town of Pittsfield, Irving Fire ..... | 110.31   |
|                                       | _____    |
|                                       | \$768.56 |

## Driveway Appropriation

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Granite State Asphalt Products Co., Inc., Hot Top ..... | \$130.65 |
|---|----------|

## Resuscitator Appropriation

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| American Fire Equipment Company, Town's Share ..... | \$150.00 |
|---|----------|

## Fire Department

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| Concord Lumber Company, Shelving .....                        | \$46.52 |
| Reed's Oil Service, Fuel .....                                | 300.40  |
| Blanchard Associates, Inc., Gaskets .....                     | 7.35    |
| Radio Shack Corp., Coils, Mikes .....                         | 81.36   |
| Sanel Auto Parts, Inc., Hose, Batteries, Oxygen .....         | 54.05   |
| Page Belting Co., Inc., Packing, Well Point & Couplings ..... | 24.05   |
| Graybar Electric Co., Protectors, Screweyes .....             | 48.89   |
| Adams Glass Co. .....   | 1.43    |
| Public Service Co., Lights .....                              | 97.59   |

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., Fire Phone ..                    | 176.43     |
| Westinghouse Electric Supply Co., Block, Tackle, Steel<br>Grip .....    | 11.68      |
| American Fire Equipment Co., Linemen's Belts, Gloves,<br>Climbers ..... | 423.49     |
| Treasurer, Town of Loudon, Gas purchased from High-<br>way Dept. .....  | 66.35      |
| Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc., Pulley & Rope .....                  | 20.43      |
| Loudon Village Store, Tape, Batteries, Bulbs .....                      | 6.28       |
| William H. Brown, Paint .....   | 16.00      |
| Arthur W. Colby, Plowing .....  | 31.00      |
| Hermon H. Davis Agency, Accident Insurance .....                        | 127.50     |
| Huckins Oil Co., Oil .....  | 4.51       |
| Crowley's Garage, Inspection, Repairs, Labor .....                      | 159.68     |
| DeMambro Radio Supply, Inc., Tubes & Parts .....                        | 62.80      |
| Potter & Brumfield, Inc., Relays .....                                  | 6.10       |
| Merrill & Cote, Inc., Supplies .....                                    | 8.91       |
| Pelissier's Luggage Store, Safety Belt Straps .....                     | 2.95       |
| Ellis Oakes Lumber Co., 2 Louvres & Hitching Ring & Eye                 | 5.72       |
| The Concord Hardware Co., Inc., Supplies .....                          | 3.60       |
| Acme Fire Alarm Co., Inc., Supplies .....                               | 115.15     |
| Loudon Garage, Repairs .....  | 5.10       |
| W. S. Darley & Co., Throttle .....                                      | 17.82      |
|   | <hr/>      |
|   | \$1,933.14 |

### White Pine Blister Rust

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| William H. Messeck, Jr., State Forester ..... | \$400.00 |
|---|----------|

### Civil Defense

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| Treasurer, State of New Hampshire ..... | \$25.70 |
| 3 Litters .....                         | \$16.74 |
| 24 License Plates .....                 | 8.96    |
|   | <hr/>   |

### Damage by Dogs

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., Tags, Licenses & Notices ..... | \$21.75 |
| Norman R. Bowles, Collecting Licenses .....             | 22.25   |
|   | <hr/>   |
|   | \$44.00 |

**Insurance**

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Harriman & Paige, To Settle Corrected Audit .....   | \$141.42 |
| National Grange Mutual Liability Co., F. Gordon Kimball, Agent .....                        | 514.64   |
| National Grange Fire Ins. Co., Clayton L. Currier, Agent, Added Coverage on Town Hall ..... | 105.53   |
| Hermon H. Davis Agency, Additional Premium .....  | 18.18    |
|   | <hr/>    |
|   | \$779.77 |

**Health Department**

|  |         |
|--|---------|
| Ruth B. Whitcomb, R.N., Services ..... | \$23.34 |
|--|---------|

**Town Dump**

|                                |          |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| S. Lester Tibbets, Agent ..... | \$150.00 |
|--------------------------------|----------|

**Vital Statistics**

|                                    |         |
|------------------------------------|---------|
| Jessie M. Cate \$14.00 —\$28 ..... | \$13.72 |
|------------------------------------|---------|

**HIGHWAYS****Town Maintenance, Summer & Winter**

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| S. Lester Tibbets, Agent, Summer .....                     | \$8,700.00  |
| S. Lester Tibbets, Agent, Winter .....                     | 4,300.00    |
| Granite State Asphalt Products Co., Inc., Cold Patch ...   | 347.40      |
| N. H. Bituminous Products Co., Tar .....                   | 2,171.03    |
| Milo F. Bacon, Culvert .....                               | 330.52      |
| Prison Industries, Culvert .....                           | 72.80       |
| Leslie E. Roberts, Bulldozing .....                        | 410.50      |
| Tilton Construction Co., Compressor .....                  | 15.00       |
| State of New Hampshire, Hough & Operator 1955 .....        | 145.50      |
| Treasurer, Town of Canterbury, Refund on Overpayment ..... | 84.00       |
|  | <hr/>       |
|  | \$16,576.75 |

**Town Road Aid**

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Treasurer, State of New Hampshire ..... | \$7,807.12 |
| Town Share .....                        | \$1,018.32 |
| State Share .....                       | 6,788.80   |
|   | <hr/>      |

**Street Lights**

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Public Service Company of New Hampshire ..... | \$465.12 |
|---|----------|

**General Expenses of Highway Department**

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Loudon Garage, Tires & Repairs .....  | \$543.70 |
| Sanel Auto Parts, Inc., Batteries, Tools & Parts .....                        | 277.79   |
| S. Lester Tibbets, Bolts .....  | 4.55     |
| Loudon Village Store, Kerosene, Pails .....                                   | 20.47    |
| Huckles Chevrolet, Inc., Parts & Repairs .....                                | 446.29   |
| Huckles Oil Co., Inc., Gas, Oil & Diesel Fuel .....                           | 1,482.41 |
| R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc., Cutting Edges .....                                 | 129.07   |
| E. K. Jenkins, Iron & Keys for Shed .....                                     | 3.20     |
| Scott Machinery, Inc., Parts & Labor .....                                    | 1,144.27 |
| Crowley's Garage, Parts & Labor .....   | 429.27   |
| The Chemical Corporation, Salt .....  | 753.32   |
| Ellis Oakes Lumber Co., Bolts .....   | 1.62     |
| Harlan Downes, 1 Sign .....   | 2.00     |
| K. C. Moore Lumber Co., Yarding & Sawing Lumber ...                           | 186.02   |
| Leslie E. Roberts, Laying Culvert .....                                       | 33.00    |
| State of New Hampshire, Road Signs & Posts .....                              | 90.00    |
| N. H. Explosives & Machinery, Inc., Grader Blades, Plow<br>Bolts & Nuts ..... | 47.27    |
| Barrett Equipment Co., Seal & Labor .....                                     | 6.00     |
| Goodyear Service Stores, Grader Tire & Tube .....                             | 231.13   |
| Page Belting Co., Inc., Collar for Plow .....                                 | 4.00     |
| H. P. Maxfield, Inc., Axes .....  | 11.50    |
| Barnett's Auto Body, Welding .....  | 18.75    |

\$5,865.63

**Green Bridge**

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Lyons Iron Works, Inc., Steel .....   | \$462.26 |
| Edward Cohen, Steel & Shafting .....  | 76.65    |
| N. H. Explosives & Machinery Co., Inc., Compressor, Caps,<br>Dynamite ..... | 73.94    |
| Crowley's Garage, Welding .....   | 25.75    |
| Ellis Oakes Lumber Co., Paint, Washers, Nails, Cement..                     | 51.08    |
| Greenwood & Clark, Labor .....  | 1,098.50 |
| K. C. Moore Lumber Co., Trucking Steel .....                                | 3.00     |
| S. Lester Tibbets, Steel .....  | 2.00     |
| Lockwood Young Corporation, Cement .....                                    | 1,344.75 |
| Fletcher's Milford Paint Works, Paint .....                                 | 8.00     |
| Concord Lumber Company .....  | 742.52   |
| Page Belting Co., Inc., Making Saddles .....                                | 86.54    |

\$3,974.99

## PUBLIC WELFARE

### Old Age Assistance & Aid to Disabled

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Treasurer, State of New Hampshire ..... | \$1,959.69 |
| Old Age Assistance .....                | \$1,637.69 |
| Aid to Disabled .....                   | 322.00     |

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### Town Poor

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| James W. McKerley .....                         | \$411.50 |
| Merrimack County Home .....                     | \$216.55 |
| J. H. Perkins & Son, Burial .....               | 194.95   |
| Emma Frost .....                                | 19.00    |
| W. G. McIntosh Optical Laboratories, Inc. ..... | \$9.00   |
| T. G. Cogswell, M.D. .....                      | 10.00    |
|   | _____    |
| N. D. Trow .....                                | 14.53    |
| Ralph Bennett, Milk & Groceries .....           | \$14.53  |
| Baby Theresa Elliott .....                      | 392.66   |
| Dr. F. B. & J. S. Argue .....                   | \$16.00  |
| Dustin's Store, Clothing .....                  | 9.64     |
| Mrs. Oscar Coulombe, Board .....                | 249.99   |
| Mrs. Richard Morse, Board .....                 | 30.59    |
| Green's Drug Store, Medicines .....             | 10.59    |
| Concord Hospital, Care .....                    | 57.00    |
| J. J. Newberry, Clothing .....                  | 11.85    |
| Dr. W. D. Penhale .....                         | 7.00     |
|   | _____    |
|   | \$837.69 |

### Aid to Soldiers & Their Families

|                          |         |
|--------------------------|---------|
| A. R. Tasker Store ..... | \$60.39 |
|--------------------------|---------|

## PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

### Cemeteries

|  |         |          |
|--|---------|----------|
| Town Cemetery .....                              |         | \$86.95  |
| Harlan Downes, Paint .....                       | \$24.00 |          |
| Labor .....                                      | 41.30   |          |
|  | —————   | \$65.30  |
| Concord Lumber Company .....                     | 14.60   |          |
| Ellis Oakes Lumber Co. .....                     | 7.05    |          |
|  | —————   |          |
| Other Cemeteries .....                           |         | \$300.00 |
| Laura G. Jenkins, Treas., Center .....           | \$75.00 |          |
| Lloyd O. Moore, Treas., Ridge .....              | 75.00   |          |
| Perley W. Ordway, Treas., Mt. Hope & Moore ..... | 150.00  |          |
|  | —————   |          |
|  |         | \$386.95 |

### PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

#### Memorial Day

|  |        |         |
|--|--------|---------|
| Loudon Village Store, Lunch Supplies ..... | \$6.45 |         |
| Herman A. Towle, 3 Wreaths .....           | 3.75   |         |
| Pittsfield High School Band .....          | 25.00  |         |
|  | —————  |         |
|  |        | \$35.20 |

### UNCLASSIFIED

#### Taxes Bought By Town

|                                |            |  |
|--------------------------------|------------|--|
| Jean F. Hardy, Collector ..... | \$2,210.93 |  |
|--------------------------------|------------|--|

### Abatements & Refunds

|                        |         |         |
|------------------------|---------|---------|
| Charles A. Pearl ..... | \$28.60 |         |
| Raymond Pearl .....    | 5.57    |         |
|                        | —————   |         |
|                        |         | \$34.17 |

### Head Taxes

|                              |            |  |
|------------------------------|------------|--|
| State of New Hampshire ..... | \$2,827.65 |  |
|------------------------------|------------|--|

**Bicycles**

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| Pittsfield Printing Co., Regulations & Certifi- |         |
| cates .....                                     | \$31.45 |
| The J. F. W. Dorman Co., Inc., Plates .....     | 41.69   |
|   | _____   |

\$73.14

**Interest**

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| Concord National Bank .....                   | \$74.17 |
| Pittsfield Savings Bank .....                 | 33.76   |
| Trustees of Trust Funds, Maxfield, Note ..... | 120.00  |
|   | _____   |

\$227.93

**PAYMENTS ON INDEBTEDNESS****Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes**

|                             |             |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Concord National Bank ..... | \$35,000.00 |
|-----------------------------|-------------|

**Long Term Notes**

|                                      |            |
|--------------------------------------|------------|
| Concord National Bank .....          | \$2,250.00 |
| Pittsfield Savings Bank .....        | 1,000.00   |
| Loudon Trustees of Trust Funds ..... | 1,000.00   |
|                                      | _____      |

\$4,250.00

**PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS****Merrimack County Tax**

|                                   |            |
|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Donald G. Rainie, Treasurer ..... | \$3,402.20 |
|-----------------------------------|------------|

**Canterbury Tax**

|                                      |        |
|--------------------------------------|--------|
| John C. Malcolm, Tax Collector ..... | \$2.70 |
|--------------------------------------|--------|

**Schools****Laura G. Jenkins, Treasurer**

|                          |             |
|--------------------------|-------------|
| Jan. 1, to June 30 ..... | \$25,096.66 |
| June 30 to Dec. 31 ..... | 21,500.00   |
|                          | _____       |

\$46,596.66

## REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

S. L. TIBBETTS

|   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| Donald Ashland, Plowing Snow .....                  | \$908.75        |
| Clifton Butterick, Trucks .....                     | 299.90          |
| James Bowie, Truck .....                            | 21.00           |
| Harry Case, Truck .....                             | 427.00          |
| Town of Canterbury, Truck .....                     | 147.60          |
| John Chapman, Truck .....                           | 48.00           |
| Alfred Carson, Power Saw and Labor .....            | 189.16          |
| Everett Dow, Truck .....                            | 524.50          |
| Roger Dow, Labor .....                              | 69.52           |
| Kenneth Demain, Labor .....                         | 61.13           |
| Lester DeRoche, Labor .....                         | 2.00            |
| A. J. Daroska, Truck .....                          | 147.00          |
| Donald Farnham, Labor .....                         | 4.90            |
| Gordon Foss, Shovel .....                           | 48.00           |
| Jay H. Green, Labor .....                           | 68.99           |
| Archie Green, Tractor .....                         | 21.00           |
| Charles R. Hammett, Labor .....                     | 12.74           |
| Robert Holmes, Truck .....                          | 136.50          |
| E. K. Jenkins, Gravel .....                         | 118.88          |
| Warren Jenkins, Trucking .....                      | 3.00            |
| John R. Kenney, Labor .....                         | 47.77           |
| Shirley Lampron, Labor .....                        | 7.84            |
| Allen Minery, Labor & Truck .....                   | 123.53          |
| John Maxfield, Truck .....                          | 315.00          |
| H. W. McClary, Bulldozer .....                      | 8.50            |
| Royal Page, Truck .....                             | 33.10           |
| Archie Page, Labor .....                            | 2,982.80        |
| John Pickard, Labor .....                           | 32.93           |
| Russell Richardson, Labor .....                     | 1,241.87        |
| Edwin Sleeper, Labor .....                          | 29.37           |
| R. E. Stevens, Loader .....                         | 232.00          |
| Warren Spears, Shovel .....                         | 58.50           |
| Albin Sanborn, Bridge Plank .....                   | 132.60          |
| Gerald Smith, Spraying Bushes .....                 | 33.00           |
| Tilton Construction Co., Shovel .....               | 384.00          |
| David Tibbetts, Labor .....                         | 132.61          |
| Lester Tibbetts, Labor .....                        | 4,002.93        |
| Town of Weare, Truck .....                          | 31.50           |
| Alice Perkins, Treasurer — To Balance Account ..... | 60.73           |
| <br>Total .....                                     | <br>\$13,150.15 |

**REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF  
MAXFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY**

*Receipts*

|   |                |
|---|----------------|
| Balance on hand January 1, 1956 .....       | \$655.19       |
| Income from Trust Funds .....               | 509.26         |
| Dividends on Savings Accounts .....         | 20.62          |
| <br>Total Receipts, December 31, 1956 ..... | <br>\$1,185.07 |

*Expenditures*

|   |              |
|---|--------------|
| Marguerite Buzzell, Salary, Janitor .....       | \$190.50     |
| Martha Hall, Magazine subscriptions .....       | 52.65        |
| Roy Maxfield, cleaning back yard .....          | 4.00         |
| Mrs. Lewis Towle, yearly salary .....           | 5.00         |
| Mrs. Anna Hanson, yearly salary .....           | 15.00        |
| Apple Tree Book Shop, book .....                | 2.96         |
| Ellis-Oakes Lumber Co., plowing & slabs .....   | 18.00        |
| Public Service Co., electricity .....           | 19.25        |
| Clayton Currier, wood .....                     | 20.00        |
| <br>Total Expenditures, December 31, 1956 ..... | <br>\$327.36 |
| <br>Balance on hand December 31, 1956 .....     | <br>\$857.71 |

**SPECIAL FUND**

*Receipts*

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Balance on hand, January 1, 1956 .....      | \$85.05     |
| Dividend from L. & T. Savings Bank .....    | 1.28        |
| <br>Balance on hand December 31, 1956 ..... | <br>\$86.33 |

Respectfully submitted,

MARY MAXFIELD

C. A. BRINKMANN

MARTHA HALL

### AUDITORS' REPORT

To: Board of Selectmen  
Town of Loudon, New Hampshire

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Treasurer, Town Clerk, Library Trustees, Tax Collector, Trustees of Trust Funds, and Road Agent, according to instructions of the Tax Commissioners' Auditor for the year ending December 31st, 1956 and find them correctly kept and properly vouchered.

GERALD B. SMITH,  
C. A. BRINKMANN,  
*Town Auditors*

## REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN

*For the Year Ending December 31, 1956*

|  |                |
|--|----------------|
| Balance in hands of Librarian, December 31, 1955 ..... | \$36.19        |
| Fines .....  | 4.79           |
| <b>Total .....</b>                                     | <b>\$40.98</b> |

*Expenditures*

|  |                |
|--|----------------|
| Books .....                            | \$1.00         |
| Shoveling Snow .....                   | 2.00           |
| Christmas Wreath .....                 | .85            |
| Supplies .....                         | 2.25           |
|  | —              |
| <b>Balance December 31, 1956 .....</b> | <b>\$6.10</b>  |
|  |                |
| <b>Balance December 31, 1956 .....</b> | <b>\$34.88</b> |

*Resources*

|   |              |
|---|--------------|
| No. of Volumes January 1, 1956 .....                | 5,671        |
| No. of Volumes Added During the Year .....          | 30           |
|   | —            |
| <b>Total .....</b>                                  | <b>5,701</b> |
| No. of Magazines at Main Library .....              | 15           |
| No. of Magazines at Branches .....                  | 4            |
| No. of Borrowers at Main Library and Branches ..... | 345          |

*Circulation*

|                                     |              |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| No. of Volumes of Fiction .....     | 2,497        |
| No. of Volumes of Non-Fiction ..... | 403          |
| No. of Periodicals .....            | 2,118        |
| No. of Juveniles .....              | 1,074        |
|                                     | —            |
| <b>Total .....</b>                  | <b>6,092</b> |

*Magazines at Main Library*

|                          |                              |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| American                 | Life                         |
| Better Homes and Gardens | McCalls                      |
| Children's Activities    | National Geographic Magazine |
| Field and Stream         | Nature                       |
| Good Housekeeping        | Parents Magazine             |
| Health                   | Popular Mechanics            |
| Hobby Magazine           | Saturday Evening Post        |

Time

*Magazines at Branches*

|                     |                        |
|---------------------|------------------------|
| EAST BRANCH         | RIDGE BRANCH           |
| American            | Good Housekeeping      |
| National Geographic | Woman's Home Companion |

*Branch Librarians*

|                  |                  |
|------------------|------------------|
| EAST BRANCH      | RIDGE BRANCH     |
| Mrs. Grace Towle | Mrs. Anna Hanson |

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We are indebted to the following for books, magazines and papers: Mrs. Margaret Anderson, Mrs. Joan Gullage, Mrs. James Hackett, Mrs. Ellen Chesley, Mrs. Wayne Smith, Mrs. Jessie Cate, Miss Laura Hayward, Mrs. Martha Hall, Mrs. Caleb Marston, Mrs. Laura Jenkins, Mrs. Dorothy Downes, Mrs. Marion Stuart, Mrs. Blanch Eastman, Wayne Smith, The American Legion Post No. 88, The Junior Auxiliary of Loudon American Legion Post No. 88, The V. F. W. Auxiliary of Loudon V. F. W. Post No. 4404, State Board of Health, N. H. State Development Commission, Secretary of State, N. H. University, Mr. Herman Annis, The Valley Times of Pittsfield.

To others, who have loaned or contributed in any way to the Library, I wish to extend my sincere thanks and appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

MARGUERITE E. BUZZELL,  
*Librarian*

## TRUST FUNDS

## Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Loudon for the Year Ending December 31, 1956

| Date of<br>creation | Trust Funds—Purpose<br>of Creation                   | How Invested                  | Balance End<br>of Year              |                   | Income During Year | Expenditures During Year | Balance End<br>of Year |
|---------------------|--|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
|                     |  |                               | Balance End<br>of Year<br>beginning | Percent<br>Change |                    |                          |                        |
| 1908                | William Maxfield Farm, benefit of town               | Farm, Land                    | \$700.00                            | None              | None 6 Mo. 3/4     | \$75.84                  | Paid to                |
| 1908                | William Maxfield Fund, benefit of town               | Merrimack County Savings Bank | 5,000.00                            | 4,012.50          | None               | 131.45                   | Library                |
| 1908                | William Maxfield Fund, benefit of town               | New Hampshire Savings Bank    | None                                | 4,000.00          | None               | 125.98                   | Trustees               |
| 1908                | William Maxfield Fund, benefit of town               | Loan & Trust Savings Bank     | None                                | 1,511.00          | None               | 36.25                    |                        |
| 1908                | William Maxfield Fund, benefit of town               | Union Trust Company           | 3,000.00                            | None              | 120.00             | \$489.52                 |                        |
| 1937                | William Maxfield Fund, benefit of town               | Town of Loudon, Notes         | \$67,600                            | 3,27              | 5.27               | 2.50                     |                        |
| 1890                | Eliza Smith, Cemetery Fund                           | Union Trust Company           | 63.28                               | 3                 | 7.05               | 70.37                    |                        |
| 1907                | Fernald, Benefit of Town Poor                        | Union Trust Company           | 161.21                              |                   |                    | 70.33                    |                        |
| 1925                | Jeremiah F. Sargent (C. H. & C. F.) Cemetery Fund    | Union Trust Company           | 100.00                              | 94.28             | 3                  | 6.11                     | 2.00                   |
| 1948                | Veterans' Affairs Committee, Benefit of War Veterans | Union Trust Company           | 186.61                              | 44.20             | 3                  | 7.25                     | None                   |
| 1942                | Chamberlain & Wiggin, Cemetery Fund                  | Union Trust Company           | 200.00                              | 70.78             | 3                  | 8.50                     | 2.50                   |
| 1937                | Cora I. Brown, Cemetery Fund                         | Union Trust Company           | 100.00                              | 34.71             | 3                  | 3.91                     | 2.00                   |
| 1941                | Hattie Lake, Cemetery Fund                           | Union Trust Company           | 100.00                              | 24.60             | 3                  | 3.91                     | 26.62                  |
| 1953                | Alice Clough, Cemetery Fund                          | Union Trust Company           | 200.00                              | 9.84              | 3                  | 6.59                     | 5.00                   |
| 1948                | John B. Perkins, Cemetery Fund                       | Merrimack County Savings Bank | 100.00                              | 8.74              | 3 1/4              | 2.05                     | 12.43                  |
| 1948                | George H. Powell, Cemetery Fund                      | Merrimack County Savings Bank | 100.00                              | 9.27              | 2.07               | 2.00                     | 8.79                   |
| 1927                | Amos F. Gurnier, Cemetery Fund                       | Merrimack County Savings Bank | 100.00                              | 17.61             | 3 1/4              | 2.22                     | 2.50                   |
| 1930                | Ozni, Hamblett, Cemetery Fund                        | New Hampshire Savings Bank    | 100.00                              | 46.69             | 3 1/4              | 4.79                     | 2.50                   |
| 1927                | Hattie Morse, Cemetery Fund                          | New Hampshire Savings Bank    | 100.00                              | 33.86             | 3                  | 4.37                     | 2.50                   |
| 1949                | Mary Williard, Cemetery Fund                         | New Hampshire Savings Bank    | 25.00                               | 8.13              | 3                  | 1.08                     | 2.00                   |
| 1930                | Frank Batchelder, Cemetery Fund                      | New Hampshire Savings Bank    | 100.00                              | 37.09             | 3                  | 4.49                     | 2.00                   |

|  |     |                            |        |        |   |                   |                   |
|--|-----|----------------------------|--------|--------|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| Laura A. Clifford, Cemetery Fund           | 918 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 100.00 | 110.08 | 3 | 6.61              | None              |
| Jonathan R. Diamond, Cemetery Fund         | 930 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 100.00 | 4.94   | 3 | 2.00              | None              |
| Edward S. Ordway, Cemetery Fund            | 930 | New Hampshire Savings Bank | 100.00 | 9.05   | 3 | 3.50              | 10.55             |
| John Jones, Cemetery Fund                  | 928 | New Hampshire Savings Bank | 200.00 | 44.54  | 3 | 8.00              | 30.04             |
| Sargent, Cemetery Fund                     | 909 | New Hampshire Savings Bank | 100.00 | 40.34  | 3 | 4.59              | 2.50              |
| Drake & Foster, Cemetery Fund              | 933 | New Hampshire Savings Bank | 100.00 | 9.63   | 3 | 3.57              | 2.50              |
| John W. & Silas Pearl Cemetery Fund        | 932 | New Hampshire Savings Bank | 200.00 | 21.96  | 3 | 7.25              | 2.50              |
| Rollins and Rogers, Cemetery Fund          | 933 | New Hampshire Savings Bank | 150.00 | 10.40  | 3 | 3.48              | 13.15             |
| Samuel Lowell French, Cemetery Fund        | 933 | New Hampshire Savings Bank | 100.00 | 6.91   | 3 | 2.00              | 4.00              |
| H. Turner, Cemetery Fund                   | 954 | New Hampshire Savings Bank | 100.00 | 1.78   | 3 | 3.31              | 3.09              |
| George L. Griggan, Cemetery Fund           | 954 | New Hampshire Savings Bank | 100.00 | 2.52   | 3 | 3.35              | 2.00              |
| Irene A. Hamblett, Cemetery Fund           | 932 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 100.00 | 20.36  | 3 | 3.78              | 2.50              |
| Irene A. Foster, Cemetery Fund             | 935 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 300.00 | 113.87 | 3 | 13.03             | 2.50              |
| E. Gertrude Dickerman, Cemetery Fund       | 932 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 50.00  | 2.98   | 3 | 1.64              | 2.62              |
| E. Gertrude Dickerman, Cemetery Fund       | 939 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 100.00 | 13.60  | 3 | 3.57              | 2.50              |
| Joseph E. Ross, Cemetery Fund              | 939 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 100.00 | 184.21 | 3 | 8.94              | 14.67             |
| Sanborn & Hawkins, Cemetery Fund           | 917 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 100.00 | 30.14  | 3 | 4.10              | 2.00              |
| Frank M. Ladd, Cemetery Fund               | 944 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 100.00 | 10.16  | 3 | 2.00              | None              |
| Levi & Luctratus M. Sanborn, Cemetery Fund | 926 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 100.00 | 48.52  | 3 | 11.61             | 34.24             |
| Myra Holt, Cemetery Fund                   | 926 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 100.00 | 10.46  | 3 | 4.66              | 2.50              |
| Perley W. Rowell, Cemetery Fund            | 952 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 100.00 | 123.04 | 3 | 3.47              | 11.93             |
| Jeremiah Clough, Cemetery Fund             | 908 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 150.00 | 50.00  | 3 | 8.60              | None              |
| Ebridge S. Wales Heirs, Cemetery Fund      | 933 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 100.00 | 33.37  | 3 | 2.62              | 2.50              |
| Harrington & Clough, Cemetery Fund         | 939 | Loan & Trust Savings Bank  | 300.00 | 103.83 | 3 | 12.70             | 2.00              |
| Ida M. Dahlgren, Cemetery Fund             | 956 | N. H. Savings Bank         | 200.00 | None   | 3 | 4.35              | 4.35              |
| <b>Totals</b>                              |     |                            |        |        |   | <b>\$637.94</b>   | <b>\$1,679.97</b> |
|  |     |                            |        |        |   | <b>\$1,563.90</b> |                   |

BENJ. E. SMITH,  
EVERETT O. DOW,  
JOHN O. CATE,  
*Trustees of Trust Estate*

## Trustees of Trust Funds

Herewith is a report of the Health work which has been done in your community by the Bureau of Public Health Nursing of the N. H. State Department of Health, co-operating with local agencies as represented through the Local Child Health Committee and your School Health Department.

Polio Clinics:

|                        |     |
|------------------------|-----|
| Number held .....      | 2   |
| Total Attendance ..... | 316 |

Very truly yours,

GERTRUDE J. SNOW  
*Public Health Nurse*  
Bureau of Public Health Nursing  
N. H. State Department of Health

## REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fifty-four calls were answered by this department during the year. It is interesting to see how these calls were received. Six were box alarms from the alarm system. Eight came by radio. Sixteen came over the red network telephone system. Fourteen were from the regular telephone service and the remaining ten were given verbally.

Classified they were as follows: eight buildings, eight chimneys, two supervised burnings, three smokes (no fire), six cellars pumped out, two wells pumped out, six times to the dump, six brush, one drowning and two miscellaneous. There were ten mutual aid calls answered for six buildings and four brush.

The area in front of the station was paved being a great improvement in controlling the drainage from the highway as well as in keeping it clear of snow.

The sirens located at Bumfagon Farm have been connected in with the village system and operate automatically with the warning devises there.

Considerable thought is being given to a replacement for Engine one. The original piece of equipment of the department. Being a second hand 1935 model chassis it is getting extremely difficult to secure replacement parts. The brakes, even with the booster, are not only inadequate but actually dangerous. The radiator has been repaired several times and will shortly have to be replaced. The electrical system has to be replaced. The booster tank is already beyond it's expected life. It has given excellent service but cannot be expected to do so indefinitely. It would seem that a replacement was in order after 17 years of service.

The Auxiliary members have been performing their usual good work locally and have been instrumental in starting several other Auxiliaries in other communities who, after seeing the worthwhile accomplishments here, desired to do likewise themselves.

Fire is one of our worst enemies PLEASE be careful.

J. W. ROBINSON,  
*Chief*

## CIVIL DEFENSE

As yet all that has been required on a local level is an organization setup on paper. This, of course, has been done.

On a state level there has recently been started a survival plan. It is expected that in the event of an attack New Hampshire's main role would be that of taking care of many thousands of refugees. It would, of course, also act as a second line of defense for those areas directly affected and would be expected to furnish fire and engineering equipment and manpower where, and as needed.

In line with this thinking all localities in the State are being canvassed regarding housing facilities together with the knowledge of how they would be maintained. All equipment such as trucks, tractors, dozers and other construction equipment. The fire department has already been fitted into the overall plan and has been assigned the tasks it would be expected to do.

Though there is little expense entailed at present it would appear that there should be a small amount available should the need arise and I therefore urge that the sum of one hundred dollars be raised for this purpose.

J. W. ROBINSON,  
*Local Director*

## YOUR TOWN DUMP

*Use it freely*

*Care for it*

Your town dump has been set up for your personal convenience. It provides a suitable place where you can dispose of the large amounts of dangerous, inflammable waste material and other useless items which accumulate around your household and local stores, brush, etc., cut on your property. The town dump has become a valuable and indispensable asset in modern community life.

The most successful town dumps are supervised—regular days provided for their use and inflammable material consistently burned. The town dump which receives no attention, where waste material is scattered about without supervision of any description, soon becomes a community menace and a liability rather than an asset.

Many people still burn debris around their homes. A large number of such fires get out of control causing unnecessary damage and expense to the burner. Why burn at home? Make use of your town dump and eliminate the hazard of burning. It will be easier for you—personally and financially.

If, however, you do burn on your premises

1. Secure a permit from your local forest fire warden—the law requires it. The warden won't refuse you if conditions are safe.
2. Be sure to properly supervise your burning. Don't leave it.
3. Make certain your fire is DEAD OUT before leaving it.

Save yourself much possible difficulty.

*Use your dump freely*

*Help Keep it safe*

Number of local fires — 4

Number of acres burned — 93½

Number of permits issued — 130

THOS. J. KING,  
*District Fire Chief*  
J. W. ROBINSON,  
*Forest Fire Warden*

### SITUATION AT LOUDON DUMP

Conditions at the Loudon town dump are such as to cause concern to every resident of the town. Inflammable material is frequently strewn over the entire dump area. Dumping is done anytime of the day or night and without supervision of any kind. Papers, etc., are blown broadcast by the wind outside the dump area. No provision has been made to separate the dump area from surrounding woodlands. East of and abutting the dump is a large cut-over area extending more than a half mile. A lighted match, cigarette or other material carelessly dropped at an inopportune time could not only result in a fire of great proportions endangering both woodlands and buildings, but cost the town a considerable sum to extinguish. There have been several instances where fires in the dump have been caught just in time.

Having situations such as this in mind, legislation was enacted in 1955 which requires towns to

1. Either provide suitable public dump facilities of its own or do so in cooperation with another town "to be available to the public at least one day a week and such other days and at such hours as the Selectmen, board of health or corresponding public official may determine."
2. Properly care for it — "provide for the proper covering or incineration of all animal or vegetable matter deposited thereon and the disposition of other waste materials and rubbish in such manner as not to create a nuisance."

To set up a satisfactory dump, one that will be safe and a credit to the community, the Loudon dump should be

1. Relocated.
2. Open on a schedule which will adequately meet the needs of the town.
3. Supervised — have some responsible local individual in charge to direct the dumping and keep the area in a safe and neat condition thus eliminating present hazardous conditions.

Other towns with situations comparable to Loudon's have successfully handled their dump problems by setting it up properly and providing a schedule for the use of the dump and proper supervision.

THOMAS J. KING,  
*District Fire Chief*

## SCHOOL DIRECTORY

FEBRUARY 1, 1956

### *School Board*

MRS. DOROTHY E. DOWNES, *Chairman*

|                           |                         |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| MRS. MARGARET C. ANDERSON | Term expires March 1957 |
| EVERETT O. DOW            | Term expires March 1958 |
|                           | Term expires March 1959 |

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### *Moderator*

J. WESTLY ROBINSON

### *Treasurer*

MRS. LAURA G. JENKINS

### *Clerk*

MRS. ALICE PERKINS

### *Auditors*

C. A. BRINKMANN  
GERALD SMITH

*Teachers*

|                                     |         |
|-------------------------------------|---------|
| RICHARD W. HISLOP, <i>Principal</i> | Grade 8 |
| MRS. OLIVE A. EDMUNDS               | Grade 7 |
| MRS. DORIS B. PHILBRICK             | Grade 6 |
| MRS. ALICE H. MARSTON               | Grade 5 |
| MRS. RUTH N. TOWLE                  | Grade 4 |
| MRS. BERTHA L. MULKHEY              | Grade 3 |
| MRS. NELLIE F. FROST                | Grade 2 |
| MRS. MILDRED LAMPRON                | Grade 1 |

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*School Nurse*

MISS RUTH B. WHITCOMB, R.N.  
209 South Street, Concord, N. H.  
Phone — CApitol 8-8665

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*Truant Officer*

MRS. ALICE PERKINS

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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*To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Loudon qualified to vote in district affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 9th day of March 1957, at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated

revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

9. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Loudon, N. H., this 8th day of February, 1957.

DOROTHY G. DOWNES,  
MARGARET C. ANDERSON,  
EVERETT O. DOW,

*School Board*

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

DOROTHY G. DOWNES,  
MARGARET C. ANDERSON,  
EVERETT O. DOW,

*School Board*

**LOUDON SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**School Board's Estimate for 1957-58**  
**DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES**

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School Board's Statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1957.

| <i>Support of Schools</i>                                 | <i>High</i> | <i>Elementary</i> | <i>Total</i>      |
|---|-------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Salaries of District Officers .....                       |             |                   | \$308.00          |
| Local Share of Superintendent's Salary .....              |             |                   | 528.75            |
| Tax for State-Wide Supervision .....                      |             |                   | 538.00            |
| Salaries of other Administrative Personnel ..             |             |                   | 488.00            |
| Supplies and Other Expenses .....                         |             |                   | 428.12            |
| Salaries of Teachers and Principals .....                 | \$23,750.00 |                   | 23,750.00         |
| Books and Other Instructional Aids .....                  | 600.00      |                   | 600.00            |
| Scholars' Supplies .....                                  | 1,000.00    |                   | 1,000.00          |
| Other Instructional Expenses .....                        | 100.00      |                   | 100.00            |
| Salaries of Janitors .....                                | 2,045.00    |                   | 2,045.00          |
| Fuel or Heat .....  | 1,100.00    |                   | 1,100.00          |
| Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses .....                 | 750.00      |                   | 750.00            |
| Repairs and Replacements .....                            | 150.00      |                   | 150.00            |
| Health Supervision .....                                  | 835.00      |                   | 835.00            |
| Transportation .....                                      | 7,286.00    |                   | 7,286.00          |
| Tuition .....   | \$27,745.00 | 200.00            | 27,945.00         |
| Special Funds Activities .....                            | 25.00       |                   | 25.00             |
| Retirement .....  | 1,707.69    |                   | 1,707.69          |
| Insurance, Bonds and Expenses .....                       | 700.00      |                   | 700.00            |
| Contingency Fund .....                                    | 1,300.00    |                   | 1,300.00          |
| Additions and Improvements of Property ..                 | 150.00      |                   | 150.00            |
| New Equipment .....                                       | 100.00      |                   | 100.00            |
| Payments of Principal of Debt .....                       | 5,000.00    |                   | 5,000.00          |
| Payments of Interest on Debt .....                        | 1,957.50    |                   | 1,957.50          |
| <br>Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's Budget.. |             |                   | <hr/> \$78,792.06 |
| <b>ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT</b>                       |             |                   |                   |
| State Aid .....   |             |                   | \$20,000.00       |
| Building Aid .....  |             |                   | 1,000.00          |
| <br>Total Income of District .....                        |             |                   | <hr/> \$21,000.00 |
| Estimated Assessment to Balance School Board's Budget..   |             |                   | \$57,792.06       |

## FINANCIAL REPORT 1955-1956

## Receipts

*State Aid*

|                    |             |
|--------------------|-------------|
| Equalization ..... | \$20,322.79 |
|--------------------|-------------|

*Local Taxation*

|                             |           |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Current Appropriation ..... | 50,096.66 |
|-----------------------------|-----------|

*Other Sources*

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Elementary School Tuitions (Canterbury) .....       | \$640.00 |
| Elementary School Transportation (Canterbury) ..... | 144.00   |
| State of N. H., milk program .....                  | 654.90   |
| Pupils, milk program .....                          | 728.91   |
| Sale of School Houses and equipment .....           | 1,277.02 |
| All other Sources .....                             | 37.76    |
|   | 3,482.59 |

|                                       |             |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Total Receipts from all Sources ..... | \$73,182.04 |
| Cash on Hand July 1, 1955 .....       | 3,280.64    |
|                                       | _____       |

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|-------------------|-------------|
| Grand Total ..... | \$77,182.68 |
|-------------------|-------------|

## Payments

*Administration*

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Salaries of District Officers .....         | \$308.00 |
| Superintendent's Salary (local share) ..... | 538.16   |
| Per Capita Tax .....                        | 510.00   |
| Salaries of Other Personnel .....           | 417.50   |
| Supplies and Expenses .....                 | 343.04   |
|   | 2,116.70 |

*Instruction*

|                                   |             |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Teacher's Salaries .....          | \$21,402.90 |
| Books and Other Aids .....        | 344.82      |
| Scholar's Supplies .....          | 849.04      |
| Supplies and Other Expenses ..... | 32.27       |
|                                   | 22,629.03   |

*Operation of School Plant*

|                           |            |
|---------------------------|------------|
| Salary of Janitor .....   | \$1,933.32 |
| Fuel .....                | 1,262.49   |
| Lights and Supplies ..... | 1,361.87   |
|                           | 4,557.68   |

*Maintenance of School Plant*

|                                |        |
|--------------------------------|--------|
| Repairs and Replacements ..... | 171.28 |
|--------------------------------|--------|

*Auxiliary Activities*

|                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Health Supervision ..... | \$857.47 |
|--------------------------|----------|

|                               |          |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Transportation—High School .. | \$83.60  |
| Elementary ...                | 7,272.00 |

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| 7,355.60 |
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|                           |             |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| Tuition—High School ..... | \$21,477.75 |
| Elementary .....          | 350.00      |

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|-----------|
| 21,827.75 |
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|                                    |          |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Special Activities and Funds ..... | 1,430.16 |
|------------------------------------|----------|

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|-----------|
| 31,470.98 |
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*Fixed Charges*

|                  |            |
|------------------|------------|
| Retirement ..... | \$1,478.29 |
|------------------|------------|

|                                      |        |
|--------------------------------------|--------|
| Insurance and Treasurer's Bond ..... | 690.82 |
|--------------------------------------|--------|

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| 2,169.11 |
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*Capital Outlay*

|                              |         |
|------------------------------|---------|
| Land and New Buildings ..... | \$72.00 |
|------------------------------|---------|

|                                  |          |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| Additions and Improvements ..... | 1,013.20 |
|----------------------------------|----------|

|                     |          |
|---------------------|----------|
| New Equipment ..... | 1,081.20 |
|---------------------|----------|

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| 2,166.40 |
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*Debt and Interest*

|                         |            |
|-------------------------|------------|
| Principal of Debt ..... | \$5,000.00 |
|-------------------------|------------|

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|------------------------|----------|
| Interest on Debt ..... | 2,247.50 |
|------------------------|----------|

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| 7,247.50 |
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|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Total Payments for all Purposes ..... | \$72,528.68 |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|

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|--|----------|
| Total Cash on hand June 30, 1956 ..... | 4,654.00 |
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|                   |             |
|-------------------|-------------|
| Grand Total ..... | \$77,182.68 |
|-------------------|-------------|

## Summary of Superintendent's Salary — 1955-1956

### SUPERVISORY UNION NO. 46

The Superintendent's total salary of \$6,500.00 is paid in part by assessments against the seven districts in the union, which are pro-rated as follows:

|                  |            |
|------------------|------------|
| Andover .....    | \$732.00   |
| Boscawen .....   | 740.00     |
| Chichester ..... | 360.00     |
| Loudon .....     | 500.00     |
| Penacook .....   | 1,328.00   |
| Salisbury .....  | 184.00     |
| Wilmot .....     | 156.00     |
|                  | _____      |
|                  | \$4,000.00 |

These payments are made by the districts directly through the Supervisory Union Office.

The remaining \$2,500.00 is paid by the State from the fund established by the per capita tax of \$2.00 for each resident pupil.

### Payments in Detail

#### *Salaries of District Officers*

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| J. Westly Robinson, Moderator .....     | \$2.00   |
| Alice M. Perkins, District Clerk .....  | 2.00     |
| C. A. Brinkmann, Auditor .....          | 2.00     |
| Gerald Smith, Auditor .....             | 2.00     |
| Laura G. Jenkins, Treasurer .....       | 25.00    |
| Dorothy G. Downes, Chairman of Board .. | 125.00   |
| Margaret Anderson, Member of Board ..   | 75.00    |
| Everett Dow, Member of Board .....      | 75.00    |
|   | _____    |
|   | \$308.00 |

#### *Superintendent's Salary*

|                                   |        |
|-----------------------------------|--------|
| Supervisory Union Treasurer ..... | 538.16 |
|-----------------------------------|--------|

#### *Tax for State Wide Supervision*

|                       |        |
|-----------------------|--------|
| State Treasurer ..... | 510.00 |
|-----------------------|--------|

*Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel*

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Supervisory Union .....                         | \$362.50 |
| Alice M. Perkins, Census & Truant Officer ..... | 55.00    |
|   | 417.50   |

|                             |        |
|-----------------------------|--------|
| Supplies and Expenses ..... | 343.04 |
|-----------------------------|--------|

*Teacher's Salaries*

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Winona B. Walker .....                   | \$2,800.00 |
| Olive A. Edmunds .....                   | 2,600.00   |
| Vera T. Presby .....                     | 2,600.00   |
| Alice H. Marston .....                   | 2,600.00   |
| Ruth N. Towle .....                      | 2,600.00   |
| Bertha L. Mulkhey .....                  | 2,600.00   |
| Barbara J. MacDonald .....               | 2,600.00   |
| Mildred T. Lampron .....                 | 2,600.00   |
| Jessie M. Cate, substitute .....         | 162.00     |
| Tax Adjustments .....                    | 240.90     |
|  | 21,402.90  |
| Books and Other Instructional Aids ..... | 344.82     |
| Scholar's Supplies .....                 | 849.04     |
| Supplies and Other Expenses .....        | 32.27      |
| Salary of Janitor .....                  | 1,933.32   |

*Fuel*

|                       |          |
|-----------------------|----------|
| Huckins Oil Co. ..... | 1,262.49 |
|-----------------------|----------|

*Lights and Supplies*

|                                   |          |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Public Service Co. of N. H. ..... | \$762.37 |
| Supplies .....                    | 599.50   |
|                                   | 1,362.87 |

*Repairs and Replacements*

|                                   |         |
|-----------------------------------|---------|
| Harlan Downes .....               | \$23.75 |
| Adams Glass Co. .....             | 34.27   |
| Arthur Colby .....                | 3.00    |
| H. P. Maxfield .....              | 3.10    |
| Concord Electric Co. .....        | 13.95   |
| Gardner's, Inc. .....             | 1.25    |
| Thompson & Hoague .....           | 2.75    |
| Maxfield Lumber Co. .....         | 9.68    |
| J. L. Holcomb Co. .....           | 57.00   |
| Merrimack Farmer's Exchange ..... | 14.51   |
| Penney's .....                    | 4.90    |
| Supervisory Union .....           | 3.12    |
|                                   | 171.28  |

*Health Supervision*

|                        |          |
|------------------------|----------|
| Ruth B. Whitcomb ..... | \$846.74 |
| Supplies .....         | 10.73    |
|                        | 857.47   |

*Transportation*

|                                   |            |
|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Everett O. Dow .....              | \$7,200.00 |
| Chichester School District .....  | 72.00      |
| Albert Hardy, High School .....   | 36.00      |
| Raymond Foster, High School ..... | 8.00       |
| Edward Rowse, High School .....   | 12.00      |
| Fred Hackett, High School .....   | 16.00      |
| John Schlicht, High School .....  | 6.00       |
| Ruth French, High School .....    | 5.60       |
|                                   | 7,355.60   |

*Tuition*

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Concord Union School District .....       | \$16,424.35 |
| Penacook Union School District .....      | 750.00      |
| Pittsfield School District .....          | 4,028.40    |
| Belmont School District .....             | 275.00      |
| Chichester School District—Elementary.... | 350.00      |
|   | 21,827.75   |

*Special Activities and Special Funds*

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Haggett's Sport Shop .....                   | \$24.90    |
| Concord Dairy Co. .....                      | 1,405.26   |
|  | \$1,430.16 |
| Retirement, District's Share .....           | 1,478.29   |
| Insurance, Treasurer's Bond, Expenses .....  | 690.82     |
| Lands and New Buildings .....                | 72.00      |
| Additions and Improvements to Property ..... | 1,013.20   |
| New Equipment .....                          | 1,081.20   |
| Principal of Debt .....                      | 5,000.00   |
| Interest on Debt .....                       | 2,247.50   |

Total All Payments .....

\$72,528.68

*Sanborn Trust Fund*

|                                       |            |
|---------------------------------------|------------|
| Cash on Hand June 30, 1955 .....      | \$1,240.48 |
| Received as interest on account ..... | 37.49      |
| Total .....                           | \$1,277.97 |

Only interest on this account to be used at the discretion of the School Board for maps, charts, flags, etc.

LOUDON, N. H. SCHOOL DISTRICT  
TREASURER'S REPORT

Fiscal Year July 1, 1955 to June 30, 1956

|  |                 |
|--|-----------------|
| Cash on Hand July 1, 1955 .....                  | \$3,280.64      |
| Received from Selectmen                          |                 |
| Current Appropriation .....                      | \$50,096.66     |
| Received from State Treasurer                    |                 |
| State Funds .....                                | 20,322.79       |
| Received from Tuitions .....                     | 640.00          |
| Received from all Other Sources .....            | 2,842.59        |
| <br>Total Receipts .....                         | <br>\$73,902.04 |
| <br>Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year ..... | <br>\$77,182.68 |
| Less School Board Orders Paid .....              | 72,528.68       |
| <br>Balance on Hand June 30, 1956 .....          | <br>\$4,654.00  |

July 25, 1956

LAURA G. JENKINS,  
*District Treasurer*

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Loudon of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1956 and find them correct in all respects.

C. A. BRINKMANN,  
G. B. SMITH,

*Auditors*

July 26, 1956

**ANNUAL SCHOOL HEALTH REPORT  
1955-1956**

The School Health Department gives the following report:

Number of pupils examined ..... 166

| <i>Defects</i>    | <i>Number</i> | <i>Corrections</i> |
|-------------------|---------------|--------------------|
| Vision .....      | 5             | 17                 |
| Teeth .....       | 71            | 93                 |
| Tonsils .....     | 2             | 3                  |
| Hearing .....     | 1             |                    |
| Heart .....       | 2             | 2                  |
| Wax in ears ..... | 15            | 6                  |

**Communicable Diseases**

|                   |    |                |    |
|-------------------|----|----------------|----|
| Chicken Pox ..... | 41 | Measles .....  | 38 |
| Pediculosis ..... | 2  | Impetigo ..... | 1  |

**Special Work**

|  |     |
|--|-----|
| Polio Vaccine (first) .....            | 154 |
| Tuberculosis Patch Test .....          | 93  |
| Chest X-Ray .....                      | 2   |
| Pre-School Entrance Examinations ..... | 13  |
| Mental Hygiene Clinic .....            | 1   |
| Special Cases .....                    | 2   |
| Welfare Cases .....                    | 4   |
| T. B. Clinic .....                     | 2   |
| Hearing Test .....                     | 38  |

**Other Work**

|                              |     |
|------------------------------|-----|
| Individual Inspections ..... | 951 |
| Classroom Inspections .....  | 36  |
| First Aid Cases .....        | 21  |
| Number of Home Visits .....  | 77  |

I would like to thank all who have made some of these corrections possible, individuals and the Parent Teachers Organization.

**RUTH B. WHITCOMB, R.N.**

*School Nurse*

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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*To the School Board and Citizens of Loudon School District:*

I am happy to report to you regarding the fine condition of your school this year.

Due to an excellent staff working together most cooperatively the tone of the school is very good indeed. To my best knowledge and belief the children are being given a great deal of individual attention, the morale of the group is high, the discipline is excellent, the quality of instruction is good. This is as it should be. There seems to be a fine spirit within the school system among the staff; such a spirit means much to the principal and to the community as a whole. Such a condition merits commendation and should be known to the people of Loudon.

The school is steadily growing in numbers, the enrollment is larger this year than ever before. There is a likelihood that it will continue to grow even more.

I would like to comment on the excellence of the art work done by the pupils. There seems to be an unusual number of children with real artistic ability within the school. Such talent is, and indeed should be, encouraged.

Recently a safety patrol has been organized within the school. This is a very valuable type of training to foster and encourage. There has also been some encouragement given to the idea of giving instruction in gun safety. This is good sound judgment on the part of teachers and school board. These are not frills of any curriculum; rather they are essentials of any good course of instruction.

There is also an attempt being made by the school officials to improve and enlarge the school library facilities through the purchase of new reference books. These new

library facilities are being made readily available to all the children and teachers and are consequently being made much good use of.

Also, more use is being made of film strips than ever before at the school. Such a device is a valuable addition to teaching. Sometime the school should consider the purchase of a 16mm sound projector for the school. This would enrich the possibilities for improving instruction, if used in well-planned programs.

Last year the school purchased a new recording machine which is used to encourage folk dancing by the children. Such a procedure is excellent.

Along with all these things the formal instruction of the school is being given the attention it deserves. Reading, writing, arithmetic, and the social studies are not in any way being neglected; rather, they are being given greater emphasis.

There is also an awareness on the part of the teaching personnel of the need for studying the individual child. Test results are being used as a source of information for better guidance and counseling services within the system. This is a vital factor in the development of schools. Both parents and teachers should have close contacts regarding the potential of their children. The children should be guided and given advice regarding what type of work they should attempt at the high school level. Not all of them should be led into believing that they should take the college preparatory course in high school. Many youth can profit far more by taking courses that lead to the development of better hand skills, an appreciation of good home-making, and that make them ready for clerical duties after high school is completed. Any guidance and counseling by teachers and parents that encourages such choices by youth today comes under the classification of good sound educational procedures.

So long as the people of the community are interested in the schools and are willing to work cooperatively with the school officials, Loudon will continue to have good schools. Let us remember that good schools make better communities; let us strive to observe this concept and continue to work cooperatively for the benefit of our children.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM B. HOUNSELL,  
*Superintendent of Schools*

February 4, 1957

### Roll of Perfect Attendance

PUPILS NOT ABSENT, TARDY OR DISMISSED FOR THE  
SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 1956

|                       | <i>Grade</i> |                       | <i>Grade</i> |
|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| Robert N. Fiske ..... | 2            | Judith Hilliard ..... | 6            |
| William Forst .....   | 5            | Susan Stuart .....    | 6            |
| Ronald Maxfield ..... | 5            | Virginia Moody .....  | 7            |
|                       |              | Francis Moody .....   | 8            |

### Graduates From the Eighth Grade

JUNE 1956

|                         |                       |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Mary June Austin        | Peter George Milbury  |
| Jeanette Irene Boyden   | Frederick John Minery |
| Nancy Ann Collins       | Patricia Helene Mogob |
| Marion C. Eastman       | Francis Xavier Moody  |
| Patricia Louise Hayward | Rolf Peter Moody      |
| Albert Westly Hill      | Nancy Ann Osgood      |
| Madelyn Hill            | Westly True Robinson  |
| Marilyn Hill            | Richard Gale Simons   |
| Donna Lee Ianuzzo       | Peter Emerson Smith   |
| Richard Henry Merrill   | Joanne Carol Storrs   |
|                         | Douglas Wayne Towle   |

### Pupils in Secondary Schools, Fall Term 1956

CONCORD HIGH SCHOOL

#### *Seniors*

|                      |                       |
|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Carol A. Chesley     | Judith A. Hill        |
| Patricia Ann Dowes   | Charles D. Ianuzzo    |
| Letha A. Eastman     | Evelyn D. Roberts     |
| Maynard L. Greenwood | Nancy J. Storrs       |
| Emily E. Haskins     | Priscilla L. Tibbetts |
| Barbara A. Hill      | Claire E. Wesson      |

### *Juniors*

## *Sophomores*

Joyce L. Ashland  
Maybelle M. Buzzell  
Judith Ann Cummings  
Thomas W. Foster  
Lorelei Greenwood  
Robin L. Hackett  
Douglas M. Hardy  
Jean M. Jagemann  
Samuel F. McKay  
Lynda J. Peaslee  
Natalie-Ann Reardon  
Edward S. Rowse  
John M. Schlicht  
Linda C. Schlicht

Wendell A. Towle

### *Freshmen*

Jeanette I. Boyden  
Nancy A. Collins  
Marion C. Eastman  
Patricia L. Hayward  
Albert Hill  
Madelyn Hill  
Marilyn Hill  
Donna L. Januzzo  
Patricia Mogob  
Francis X. Moody  
Rolf Moody  
Westly T. Robinson  
Richard G. Simons  
Peter E. Smith  
Joanne C. Storrs  
Kenneth A. Tewksbury

PENACOOK HIGH SCHOOL

Constance Wells, Senior      Robert Landry, Sophomore

PITTSFIELD HIGH SCHOOL

## Seniors

### *Juniors*

*Sophomores*

Evalyn French

Retta Presby

Roger French

Brian Wesson

Bruce Yeaton

*Freshmen*

Richard Merrill

Nancy Osgood

Douglas Towle

CHICHESTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Lawrence H. LaBonte

Grade 1

Sharon E. LaBonte

Grade 8

## Attendance Table for the School Year Ending June 30, 1956

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

1957-58

Schools open — Wednesday, September 4

Teachers' Convention — Thursday, Friday, October  
17, 18

Holiday — Veterans' Day, Monday, November 11

## Teachers' Institute — Friday, April 11

Holiday — Memorial Day, Friday, May 30

Schools close — Wednesday, November 27

Schools open — Monday, December 2

Schools close — Christmas Vacation, Friday, December 20

Schools open — Monday, January 6

## Schools close — Winter Vacation, February 21

Schools open — Monday, March 3

Schools close — Friday, April 25

Schools open — Monday, May 5

Schools close — Tuesday, June 17

(or after 180 days of school)

### NUMBER OF SCHOOL DAYS

|           |    |
|-----------|----|
| September | 19 |
| October   | 21 |
| November  | 17 |
| December  | 15 |
| January   | 20 |
| February  | 15 |
| March     | 21 |
| April     | 18 |
| May       | 19 |
| June      | 12 |

## Teachers' Convention and Institute

177

3

180

## VITAL STATISTICS

## Births

| <i>Date</i> | <i>Place</i> | <i>Baby's Name</i>  | <i>Father's Name</i>   | <i>Mother's Maiden Name</i> |
|-------------|--------------|---------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Jan. 8      | Goffstown    | Dianne Allen        | Sidney M. Doyle, Jr.   | Fay A. Connor               |
| Feb. 18     | Concord      | Michael John        | Allan C. Minery        | Shirley A. Hunt             |
| Mar. 19     | Concord      | Alan Douglas        | Harry A. Williams, Jr. | Helen E. Robinson           |
| Apr. 11     | Laconia      | Richard Elwood, Jr. | Richard E. Huckins     | Nancy L. Ordway             |
| 17          | Laconia      | Kenneth Allen, Jr.  | Kenneth A. Horn        | Myrtle L. Dow               |
| 26          | Concord      | David Alfred        | Russell P. Richardson  | Martha Welch                |
| May 3       | Concord      | David Kimball       | Levi K. Ladd           | Lucille Archibald           |
| 14          | Laconia      | Philip Leon         | Edwin H. Carter        | Mary E. Parks               |
| Aug. 17     | Concord      | Thomas Albert       | Charles Welch          | Dorothy E. Huckins          |
| Sept. 1     | Concord      | Linda Jean          | John L. Miller, Jr.    | Arlene R. Clough            |
| 1           | Concord      | William Andrew, 3rd | William A. Young, Jr.  | Jessie B. White             |
| 5           | Concord      | Robert Gerald, Jr.  | Robert G. Curtis       | Sandra Hill                 |
| 12          | Concord      | Karen Sue           | Richard L. Croteau     | Lorraine V. Arsenault       |
| 26          | Concord      | Nancy Lee           | Bernard L. Pearl       | Mary Robinson               |
| Oct. 23     | Laconia      | William Albert      | Maurice W. Witham      | Isabel R. Fontaine          |
| 24          | Concord      | Peter Paul          | Paul B. Lesmerises     | Shirley E. Marston          |
| Nov. 30     | Concord      | Stillborn Baby Boy  | Warren M. Jenkins      | Beatrice M. Gile            |
| Dec. 6      | Laconia      | Michael Everett     | Roger N. Dow           | Irene L. Dickerson          |
| 8           | Concord      | Gary Donald         | Ronald K. Moore        | Louise M. Dickenson         |
| 11          | Exeter       | Robert Copeland     | Norman R. Bowles       | Alma E. Jurgenson           |
| 21          | Concord      | Gregory Scott       | Robert A. Colarusso    | Janet H. Maxfield           |
| 22          | Concord      | Sharman Diane       | Melvin G. Gullage      | Joan Marston                |

## Marriages

| <i>Date</i> | <i>Place</i> | <i>Names</i>                               | <i>Name of Person Officiating and Station</i>      |
|-------------|--------------|--|--|
| Jan.        | Lisbon       | Byron B. Kenney<br>Irena H. Richardson     | Harold G. Page<br>Clergyman                        |
|             | Loudon       | Robert A. Brown<br>Carolyn A. Blanchard    | Rev. Arlington E. Wry<br>Ordained Clergyman        |
| Mar.        | Concord      | Victor M. Lawrence<br>Patricia L. Cummings | Donald G. Matson<br>Justice of the Peace           |
| Apr.        | Pittsfield   | Leon G. Miller<br>Paula A. Maxfield        | Rev. Leslie G. Strathern<br>Minister of the Gospel |
|             | Portsmouth   | Karl R. Moore<br>Elaine S. Gordon          | Raymond W. Bowden, Jr.<br>Clergyman                |
| May         | Chichester   | Ronald K. Moore<br>Louise M. Dickinson     | Rev. H. Franklin Parker<br>Clergyman               |
|             | Boscawen     | Merrill W. Sinclair<br>Lois I. Kibbee      | Oliver C. Northcott<br>Clergyman                   |
|             | Loudon       | Robert G. Curtis<br>Sandra Hill            | Jessie M. Cate<br>Justice of the Peace             |
| June        | Loudon       | Joseph H. Cotton, Jr.<br>Virginia Cummings | Rev. H. Franklin Parker<br>Clergyman               |
|             | Loudon       | Shirley W. Lampron<br>Esther E. Tibbets    | Rev. Benjamin D. Tibbets<br>Ordained Minister      |
| July        | Chichester   | Leon L. Clark<br>Dorothy B. Mattoon        | Rev. H. Franklin Parker<br>Clergyman               |
|             | Concord      | Perley G. Creighton<br>Ruth S. MacDonald   | Rev. Archibald Kerr<br>Minister of the Gospel      |
| Aug.        | Pittsfield   | Richard E. Cutter<br>Jacqueline S. Drole   | Rev. Paul Vadeboncoeur<br>Roman Catholic Priest    |
|             | Chichester   | John L. Miller<br>Arlene R. Riel           | Rev. H. Franklin Parker<br>Clergyman               |
|             | Pittsfield   | Marshall I. Marr<br>Ruth S. Marshall       | Rev. Leslie G. Strathern<br>Minister of the Gospel |
|             | Loudon       | Waldo C. Cobb<br>Marjorie J. Witter        | Rev. Leslie G. Strathern<br>Minister of the Gospel |
| Sept.       | Pittsfield   | Wilbur S. Maxfield, Jr.<br>Diana M. Towle  | Rev. Arlington E. Wry<br>Ordained Clergyman        |
| Oct.        | Penacook     | Carlos M. Hardy<br>Helen M. Davis          | Carroll E. Word<br>Min. of the Methodist Church    |
| Nov.        | Loudon       | Norman J. Ashland<br>Gladys M. Spooner     | Rev. Arlington E. Wry<br>Ordained Clergyman        |
| Dec.        | Pittsfield   | Charles L. Kenney<br>Louise E. French      | Rev. Leslie G. Strathern<br>Minister of the Gospel |
|             | Concord      | James E. Gross, Jr.<br>Eleanor J. Moore    | Clinton L. Morrill<br>Episcopal Clergyman          |

## Deaths

| <i>Date</i> | <i>Place</i>       | <i>Name</i>         | <i>Age</i>             |
|-------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| Jan. 21     | Loudon             | Gertrude E. Cobb    | 45 years               |
| Feb. 13     | Loudon             | Grace A. Osborne    | 97 years               |
| Mar. 2      | Boscawen           | James W. McKerley   | 84 years               |
|             | 12                 | Boscawen            | 97 years               |
| Apr. 5      | Concord            | John L. Jones       | 97 years               |
|             | 18                 | Concord             | John W. Pearl          |
|             | 29                 | Concord             | George Collins         |
| May 15      | Loudon             | Albert E. Adams     | 83 years               |
| June 13     | Concord            | Clara F. Kendall    | 78 years               |
|             | 14                 | Loudon              | James W. Hackett       |
| July 2      | Loudon             | Arthur J. Marston   | 74 years               |
|             | 2                  | Loudon              | Susan L. Hibbard       |
|             | 2                  | Loudon              | Robert L. Hibbard, Jr. |
|             | 2                  | Loudon              | John E. Bachelder      |
| Aug. 1      | Concord            | Hiram P. Macintosh  | 4 years                |
|             | 18                 | Gilmanton           | Alice A. Wong          |
| Sept. 28    | Concord            | Francis T. Megrath  | 84 years               |
|             | 29                 | Brentwood           | Melvin J. Quackenbush  |
| Nov. 9      | Springfield, Mass. | Quong C. Wong       | 50 years               |
|             | 13                 | Concord             | George L. Fiske        |
|             | 14                 | Loudon              | Stanley E. Streeter    |
| Dec. 18     | Loudon             | Walter C. Dickerson | 82 years               |
|             | 22                 | Concord             | Augusta Sargent        |
|             | 27                 | Concord             | Edith G. Brinkmann     |
| 1955        |                    |                     |                        |
| Aug. 23     | Loudon             | Chester F. Paige    | 58 years               |



